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## ALL BUT TWENTY-TWO IN SALVATION ARMY PARTY WERE DROWNED IN WRECK

### Major Morris Carried Commissioner Rees on Shoulders Until Blown Overboard by Explosion—Survivors Relate Their Aw- ful Experiences of Wreck in Darkness

Montreal, May 30.—It was a tragic home-coming for those of the Salvation Army who were on the Empress of Ireland, and return to tell the story. Of the 176 members of the army who left on the Empress, only 22 are alive to-day. Of these 17 arrived this morning. They and the other survivors on the train were the first to reach Montreal since the disaster.

The scene when the train pulled into the station was one of infinite pathos. There was quite a large party of Salvationists waiting for the train and they all spoke of the terrible blow to the Army in Canada, taking at one sweep three out of the five members of the governing council of the Salvation Army in Canada.

The three lost so far as is known are Commissioner Rees, Col. Maidment, and Brigadier Potter.

Waiting on the platform were Brigadier and Mrs. Rawlins, Brigadier and Mrs. Green, Col. and Mrs. Gaskin, Mrs. Col. Turner, Staff Captain Gaston, Miss Gaskin, Capt. Richardson, Major and Mrs. Taylor, Ensign Hoffmann, and Adj. Knight. They had brought with them large bundles of clothing and other necessities for the survivors. On the platform were a few relatives and friends of those saved.

"It was just like walking down the Leach into the sea. As the boat went over we climbed over the rail-rail and slid down the stanchions to the plates and walked into the sea," said J. L. Duncan, of London, England, describing how he left his cabin on the promenade deck in his pyjamas and how he parted company with the ship.

When asked what he had to say about the disaster he replied: "There is nothing to tell. It was all over in fifteen minutes. The signals woke me as I lay in my berth amidships on the starboard side. That was the slide the collar ran into us, but she was a low boat and so my cabin was not crushed in like an egg-shell as were some of those immediately below me. Directly the collision occurred the Empress began to heel and I immediately went on deck."

Tells of Commissioner.  
Ensign Igmire calmly told the tale to his fearful friends who asked for the last tidings of their beloved Commander Rees. He said there was no shock at the time of the collision.

"I heard a grazing sound as if we were touching a berg," he said, "and as the sound continued I went up on deck curious to see what was wrong. I never got back to my cabin. The lifebelts were all there and there were none on deck that I could see. The ship was already listing over dangerously. It was all the work of a moment. There were a number of passengers on deck with me at the time but when I looked over my shoulder as I grabbed the rail I could see the gangways jammed with people. I passed Major Simcoe's berth going up and asked her if she was not coming. She told me to leave her and find out what was the matter. Her body was among the first picked up on shore.

"Everyone was orderly and quiet. No one had time to realize what was going on. We could not launch the boats because we could hardly stand up, so heavy did the list become; we had to take the side and only the swimmers like myself are left of those who went over with me.

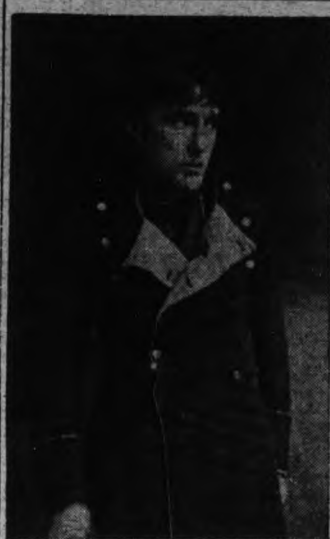
Swimmers Were Saved.  
Eleven of our comrades are here. There are all swimmers. I saw Commander Rees when he ran back to get his wife. Major Frank Morris tried hard to save him, for he carried him on his shoulders as long as he could. Morris was a hero. There was an explosion and that must have killed hundreds outright. The shock of it blew Major Morris right overboard. His arm was badly scalded.

"We saw the ship heeling over when we were in the water but there was no outcry until she had disappeared. The swimmers then shouted to attract the life-boat that was already coming. My comrades died like Salvationists.

"I believe the majority of the people on deck fell to the other side helplessly and the boat rolled over them when sinking. When I finally reached the rail of the deck, the ship side was almost horizontal. I began to climb down it as quickly as possible. In what must have been the final lurch I slipped in my footing and slid over the bilge of the keel. The water was no great shock to me as it was to many and I managed to maintain my presence of mind. I turned on my back and started swimming as fast as I could. I knew I could not rise so quickly that way, and I kept up a lusty stroke for what would be half a mile in calm water. A lifeboat picked me up and took me aboard the Storstad.

Major Atwell's Action.  
My adventure really wasn't much. Major Atwell, however, performed one of the most notable acts of heroism I have ever heard of. He swam with his wife on his back almost to safety, then that noble woman, with a heart as staunch as that of her husband.

## Curtain Drops on Irving's Greatest Scene Left God's Blessing for Man Who Offered Help



LAURENCE IRVING

### SALVATIONISTS HOLD CONTINUOUS SERVICE FOR LOST COMRADES

New York, May 30.—At Salvation Army headquarters here, 700 delegates assembled to sail to-day on the Olympic to attend the international convention in London, held an almost continuous prayer service for their comrades who perished in the Empress of Ireland disaster.

Messages received by Commander Eva Booth from Lieut.-Governor J. M. Gibson of Ontario, confirmed reports that probably not more than twenty of the party were rescued. Commander Booth sent messages to Salvation Army officers in Quebec to make every effort to identify the dead and report the names of the survivors.

## Survivor Tells of Struggle When in Water Captain Called "Keep Cool" From Bridge

Montreal, May 30.—Exhausted survivors of the Empress of Ireland disaster, wearing makeshift clothing supplied by the people of Rimouski, arrived to-day in Montreal. In the party was a remnant of the Salvation Army band, more than a hundred of whom perished.

The survivors included: Messrs. McIntyre, Measures, Greenaway, Staff Captain Macdonald, Lieut. Keith, James Johnson, Major and Mrs. Atwell, E. Green, Captain Spooner, Little Grace Hannagan, Miss Bales, all of Toronto; Mrs. Cook and Band Sergeant Fowler, Vancouver; and Miss Wilnot, of Winnipeg.

"I was looking through the porthole in my cabin amidships," said Band Sergeant Fowler, "when I saw a big black shape loom up out of the darkness. It seemed only a few feet away. Then came the jolt. It could not be called a crash because it was more of a grinding sensation. Before I realized what had happened my cabin began to fill with water. I rushed out of the cabin and up the main companionway. I saw a girl with a baby in her arms and a little child following her. The girl begged me to put a lifebelt on her, so I stopped long enough to do this."

By the time Mr. Fowler had reached the deck, he said, the ship was listing badly and the passengers had to cling to the rail to keep from going over the side. Mr. Fowler jumped.

"I went down until I thought my lungs would burst," he said. "Bodies bumped into me. Once a man threw his arms around me, and I had to fight to break his grip. I swam several hundred feet and was almost exhausted when a boat picked me up."

Resident survivors not in the Salvation Army, who arrived here, include Messrs. Kent, Ferguson, Duncan, Weinrauch and Miss Grace Kohl. Those from Toronto included Mrs. O'Hara, Miss O'Hara, Miss Lee, Dr. Hunt and Thomas Smart.

Famous Actor and Wife Close  
Life's Drama With Noblest  
Scene of All

Quebec, May 30.—F. E. Abbott, of Toronto, told of how Laurence Irving died trying to save his wife.

"I saw him first in the passageway," Abbott said, "and he said calmly: 'Is the boat going down?' I said it looked like it. 'Dearie,' Irving then said to his wife, 'hurry, there is no time to lose.' Mrs. Irving began to cry, and as the actor reached for a lifebelt the boat suddenly lurched and he was thrown against the door of his cabin. His face was bloody and Mrs. Irving became frantic.

"Keep cool," he warned her, but she persisted in holding her arms around him. He forced the life belt over her and pushed her out of the door. He then practically carried her upstairs. I asked if I could help, and Irving said: 'Look after yourself first, old man, but God bless you all the same.'"

Abbott said he left the two, man and wife, struggling. Abbott got on deck and dived overboard. He caught hold of a piece of timber and then looked around. Irving by this time was on the deck. He was kissing his wife. As the ship went down they were clasped in each other's arms.



MISS MABLE HACKNEY

### SIR H. SEATON KERR GAVE HIS LIFEBELT AND SAVED ANOTHER

Quebec, May 30.—M. Darling, a survivor, was saved by a lifebelt that might have saved Sir Henry Seaton Kerr. "My cabin was opposite Sir Henry's," said Darling, "and when I opened my door we bumped into each other in the passageway. He had a lifebelt and he offered it to me. I refused it, but he said: 'Go on, man, take it and I will get another.' I told him to save himself, but he got angry and actually forced the belt over me. He then hurried me along the corridor to the door. Apparently he went back for another belt, but a moment or two after he had left me the ship went down. I was picked up."

## DEAD NUMBER 1032 BY ESTIMATE MADE FROM THOSE RESCUED

### Three Hundred and Fifty-Five Survive— Quebec in Mourning Waits Arrival of Three Hundred Bodies—Capt. Anderson Says Collision Due to Suddenness of Fog

Quebec, May 30.—One thousand and thirty-two persons lost their lives when the steamer Empress of Ireland was rammed and sunk in the St. Lawrence river yesterday. Figures made public to-day by the C. P. R., owners of the lost boat, showed that of the 1,387 persons on board, 355 were rescued, as follows: First cabin passengers, 18; second and third cabins, 131; crew 206.

When the ship sailed she carried 87 first-class passengers, 153 second, and 715 third, and a crew of 432.

### SIGNALS EXCHANGED BEFORE CRASH CAME

#### Captain Ordered Empress Slow Astern While Storstad Continued Onward

Rimouski, May 30.—Captain Kendall, of the Empress, is still suffering from nervous shock and injuries, but was a little better this morning. He had not contracted pneumonia, as reported. To friends with whom he has talked, he lamented bitterly the failure of the collar Storstad to hold her bow in the rent she had opened in the liner's side.

It appears that it was misty but not actually foggy when the crash occurred. The Empress had passed Rimouski at 1.30 a. m., and was on her course. Captain Kendall was on the bridge and ordered the ship slowed down. Then he made out the lights of an approaching steamer. He whistled and the steamer answered, indicating that the signal had been understood. The vessels were far apart when these signals were exchanged. As they came nearer the Empress' engines came to a full stop, but she drifted under her momentum. Then Captain Kendall, it is said, ordered slow astern. The Storstad kept on her way toward the liner. One theory expressed is that Captain Anderson of the Storstad, tried to cross the bow of the larger boat. At any event, her nose missed the bow of the liner and plunged into her just amidships. It was not a severe shock, but the wound inflicted was at the spot where the double hull and bulkheads were of no avail.

### LIST OF SURVIVORS

Montreal, May 30.—The following additional list of survivors is issued:  
First cabin survivors: Mr. J. W. Black, Fergus Duncan, member of the firm of Kimber, Bull & Duncan, barristers, London; Walter Fenton, Manchester; L. A. Gosselin, Montreal; G. W. S. Henderson, Montreal; Miss Grace Kohl, Montreal; Miss Alice Lee, Nassau, N. H.; Mrs. H. R. O'Hara, Toronto; Miss Helen O'Hara, Toronto; Mrs. W. E. Paton, Sherbrooke, Que.; F. E. Abbott, Toronto; John Atkinson; A. J. Burrows, Nottingham; Mr. Adie and Mrs. Percy, Birmingham; R. A. Cunningham, Winnipeg; George Gallagher, Winnipeg; Miss Doris Gaunt, Birmingham; L. A. Hyamson, London; L. Kent, Montreal; Mrs. A. A. Muller, London C.; E. Lyon, Vancouver; E. Seybold, Ottawa; Chas. R. Clarke, Miss H. Taylor.

Second and third cabin survivors: J. W. Black, Ottawa; Mrs. J. W. Black, Ottawa; Miss E. Court, Liverpool, Eng.; J. F. Dandy, Pearson, Man.; Wm. Davies, Toronto; J. Erzinger, Winnipeg; J. W. Langsley, Vancouver, B. C.; Miss M. Langsley, Vancouver, B. C.; Mr. E. Law, Calgary; Mr. L. Law, Calgary; Master Law, Calgary; J. Lennon, Winnipeg; Miss A. Lison, London, Eng.; A. McAlpine, Montreal; A. Marler, Indianapolis, Ind.; Mrs. Charles Moir, Toronto; J. Morgan, Winnipeg; William Morgan, Winnipeg; Mrs. Reginald Simmons, London; B. Weinrach, Montreal; T. Flack.

K. Abenck, P. N. Archer, J. Anderson, A. M. Arkella, Miss Ethel Bach, Miss Edith Deck, Bartsch, P. Boskey, M. Baccarise, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Black, Miss B. F. Blyth, Elias Boris, U. K. Barnard, A. Bradley, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Brooks, A. Brown, John Burns, G. Buckas, E. Byrne, V. Bract, J. Bragg, Eric Buraign, Botha, E. Chamber, Chas. Clark, Conspancin, Miss E. Court (colored), James Conner, J. R. Crombie, W. Davis, Gordon Davidson, Darling, P. Dennis, D. Datonkist, J. Evanson, E. L. Erickson, J. Erseringer, A. B. Evans, A. Ferriag, Buna Fane, E. E. Ferguson, F. Ferguson, Terry Flack, Flynn, A. Ford, Silger Rebljchenko.

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Quebec, May 30.—Of the thousand or more persons who went to their death yesterday with the sinking of the liner Empress of Ireland, the bodies of more than 300 had been recovered to-day. Search was being conducted in the St. Lawrence for others, and the living, estimated at 355, were either at or en route to their homes, garbed in garments supplied by the residents of Rimouski.

Early to-day the bulk of the dead then recovered were placed on the government steamer Lady Grey at Rimouski to be brought to this city, pending identification. Captain Kendall, of the Empress of Ireland, still suffering from his injuries, remains at the little village. From the wharves, at low tide, he could see the funnels of his stricken ship gleaming above the river's surface.

With the Empress, it became known to-day, went down \$1,000,000 in silver bars shipped from Cobalt to England. It is the opinion in shipping circles that the Empress will either have to be bodily raised or dynamited from her position for fear that her presence will cause the formation of a sand bar.

The collar Storstad, that ripped open the liner's side, arrived at Quebec early this morning and proceeded slowly to Montreal, to which port her cargo of coal is consigned. Captain Anderson, while refusing to give out any extended statement, said the collision had been due solely to the suddenness with which the fog shut down on the vessels. He added that after the crash he picked up more than 300 persons, in fact, most of those saved. Later they were transferred to the Lady Evelyn and the Eureka. The collar had in her bow above the waterline a hole large enough to admit three men erect. Her port anchor was missing, having been dragged away and sunk with the Empress.

The whole of Quebec mourned to-day, awaiting the arrival of the dead from Rimouski. Undertakers from far and near have been summoned to the city and the government dock has been converted into a morgue. High piles of coffins await the dead. The bodies will be ranged in rows together with any goods belongings they possessed, to facilitate their identification. A few were identified at Rimouski to-day, but it will be long, slow work. Among those whose identification was thought to be correct was a Mrs. Gallagher, of Winnipeg. Her son identified the body. There was a Gallagher, sex unstated, mentioned in the first-cabin survivors. Another body was thought to be that of Albert Anderson, a first-cabin passenger, of Montreal or London. Other identifications, supposed to be correct, were Mrs. P. Flack, of Gravenhurst, Ont., not mentioned in the passenger list, and the body of a man, a Mr. Taylor. There was a J. S. Taylor mentioned among the first-cabin passengers missing. There is among the dead the body of a well-dressed woman, on whose fingers there are diamonds.

Beside her lay the body of one of the Empress stewards. Many of the bodies are cut and bruised, some as if with a knife. There are many women and children. On the man Taylor's body was a belt holding \$2,000.

Some wore lifebelts when picked up, and of these many had died with their arms extended above their heads. The mother, previously mentioned, who held the body of her dead child to her breast, wore a gold chain bearing a gold cross.

Hundreds of women, it is said, might have been saved had they not stopped to dress.

Though the crew members predominated in the saved, no word of reproach for them has been heard. It was pointed out that many were on deck on duty and that those who leaped after helping such passengers as they could were able to swim. Most of the first and second cabin passengers were caught in their beds by the rush of water.

PASSAGES CANCELLED.  
London, May 30.—A number of passengers who had booked berths on trans-Atlantic steamers sailing to-day cancelled their trips at the last moment as the result of the accident to the Empress of Ireland.





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## CANADA MUST REMAIN WHITE MAN'S COUNTRY

Asiatics Lower Standard of Living Says London Journal Concerning Immigration

London, May 30.—In an editorial concerning "Asiatic Immigration," the Daily News says that opinion on the Pacific coast and doubtless throughout Canada, is as emphatic as opinion in South Africa, and it will not suffer the immigration of Asiatics because that would lower the standard of living as the Pacific coast impossible as a white man's country. Should it be found that the existing law does not suffice to exclude Asiatics there will be found a demand for more effective legislation, says the News. The demand would be so insistent that probably no Canadian government could resist it. "There is no likelihood," says the News, "that the imperial authorities, however distasteful such legislation might be, could or would endeavor to prevent it. Any such resistance would subject the frame work of the empire to a strain greater than it would bear. "British citizenship," adds the News, "is a thing of grades and territorial limitations. The white man may go where he will and every where be a citizen. The colored man may be free here and excluded there. To make his situation more bitter, his rights are less than those of every other citizen who has white skin enjoys. Whether an empire can hold together with so strange a practice and so strong a theory of citizenship is a disturbing question. The gravest feature of the present situation is not that exclusion is being urged on behalf of a standard of life, but that it is being coupled with assertions of moral and intellectual superiority, and of the existence of moral and political incapacity for which there is no warrant."

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## SHIP'S DOCTOR GIVES ACCOUNT OF DISASTER

Was Pulled Through Porthole and Swam Until Taken on Lifeboat

Quebec, May 30.—A graphic description of the scene on the Empress after the collision was given by Dr. James F. Grant, the ship's surgeon, who described the awful scene thus: "I was in my cabin, and heard nothing until the boat listed so badly that I tumbled out of my berth and rolled under it. I concluded that something had gone wrong, and tried to turn on the light, but there was no power. I tried to find the door lock, but the list was so strong that it took me a considerable time to open it. When I reached the alleyway the ship was so canted that my efforts to climb up were rendered impossible by the carpet which I was clinging to breaking away. I then scrambled up and managed to get my head through a porthole, but I was unable to get my shoulders through. "At that time the ship was lying almost on her side, and I found myself in the water, and swam towards the lights of the collier, and nearly exhausted by the struggle and exposure, I was picked up by a lifeboat which went on to the scene of the disaster and was loaded with survivors who were pulled out of the water and taken on board the steamer Storstad. There we were heated and wrapped in blankets, and I was provided with the clothes which I now wear, and which enabled me to do what I could to help the survivors, some of whom were in such an exhausted condition that they died."

Special praise was given by the passengers to the heroic work of Dr. James F. Grant, who is from Victoria, B. C. It is said that by his coolness and his authority over the survivors he managed to save a large number who were taken out of the water, but who would have perished had they not received his attention.

The Canadian Pacific railway sent a special train down and took several carloads of rescued passengers to Quebec and are doing everything that money can do. A medical staff has also been sent down. Very few of the bodies have been identified yet.

The story of the tremendous explosion on board the Empress of Ireland after she was hit by the Storstad was told last night by Philip Lawler, a steerage passenger from Brantford, Ontario. Mr. Lawler was on his way to England with his wife and son. "People were simply shot out of the ship into the sea by the explosion," Mr. Lawler said. "I was pushed overboard with my wife and boy. The boy could swim, so I tried to take care of my wife, but she slipped from my grasp and sank."

Mr. Johnston, chief officer on the Empress, said that he and the Storstad backed out so soon from the Empress a large number of passengers would have been saved. He said that when the collier pulled herself free the sea surged into the hole she had torn in the side of the Empress, and the liner quickly sank.

Chief Marconi Operator Hayes, of the Empress, told of the sinking of the vessel. "As soon as I felt the shock," he said, "I was ordered to sound the danger signal, and the flash of my 'S. O. S.' was immediately picked up by the operator at Father Point and answered. But I could not talk with him, for five minutes after the impact my dynamo failed me and seventeen minutes after the collision our boat went down."

To pluckily leap from the deck of the sinking liner and swim around for nearly an hour in the river, and then to fall dead from exhaustion on the deck of the pilot boat Eureka was the fate of an unidentified woman.

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## PARLIAMENT LEADERS SPEAK OF CALAMITY

Navigation of St. Lawrence Not to Blame Says Premier; Laurier Replies

Ottawa, Ont., May 30.—The marine disaster off Father Point overshadowed all else on Parliament Hill yesterday. When the house opened a feeling of depression and gloom pervaded the chamber. The prime minister took his seat with a copy of the late extra in his hand and during the preliminary proceedings the early story of the catastrophe was pursued by him and Hon. Geo. E. Foster, his desk-mate. When the orders of the day were called the premier rose with the paper in hand. "I would like to say just a word," said he, "respecting the disaster, tidings of which have been brought to us to-day. In awful suddenness and in a dreadful toll of human life, the disaster brings a shock such as we in this country have never felt before. That this ship, only two hours out from Quebec in the dead of night and with so many passengers on board should be so badly damaged as to sink in ten or twenty minutes comes to us in this country and this house as a most appalling shock. I do not believe from the reports which have come in that this is a disaster which could have been averted by anything the country could have done in rendering the navigation of the St. Lawrence more safe. It came in a fog and could not have been prevented by any safeguards to navigation."

"In view of the magnitude of the disaster it is fitting that something should be said in this house; that we should express our deep regrets for the disaster and our profound sympathy for those bereaved."

"The hand of Fate has been heavy against us during the past few months," said Sir Wilfrid Laurier. "This is the third disaster on the St. Lawrence route since navigation opened two months ago and in loss of life it has surpassed anything since the wreck of the Titanic. In proportion of loss of life this even exceeds the Titanic. It is premature to express an opinion on the disaster, but it is difficult to believe that such an accident could take place in the St. Lawrence so near to Father Point and not be prevented. I will not pass judgment and I hope it will turn out to be one of those disasters which could not have been prevented by human agency. The sympathies of all will go out to the victims and perhaps substantially in another way later on. I will join with the premier in extending to the families of those who have been lost our sincerest and deepest sympathy."

The bill to give the civil service a new classification and scales of pay was introduced by Hon. W. T. White and explained, but it will not be proceeded with this session.

The government proposed to go on with the consideration of the C. N. R. bill, but Sir Wilfrid Laurier objected that the bill had not been distributed to the members. Mr. Borden thereupon agreed to defer consideration until to-day.

When the estimates of the department of justice were taken up the report of the commission which inquired into the Kingston penitentiary was criticized by Dr. Edwards, of Frontenac. He said it contained more misrepresentations to the square inch than any document presented to the House since the formation of the Dominion.

The C. N. R. bill, to extend the time for a group of western lines and to ratify an agreement between the C. N. R. and the Mount Royal Tunnel and Terminal company, was passed without protest, and the C. M. B. A. bill was sent to the banking committee.

The Conservatives held a lengthy caucus last night, lasting until nearly 11 o'clock. The principal subject under discussion was the Grant Trust Pacific proposals with regard to a further bond guarantee for the mountain section.

The premier at the close of the caucus gave no official statement. It is understood that many members spoke strongly against aid to the G. T. P. unless it was absolutely necessary, or that the terms of the agreement with the Laurier government were such that it would be impossible to refuse.

It was pointed out that if the case went into court there was grave doubt as to whether the government would win. Legal opinions have been given by Sir Robert Findlay and Sir Allen Aylesworth to the effect that under the "Implementing" clause the G. T. P. would be entitled to \$12,000,000.

The question of prorogation was also discussed. It was felt that there was still so much business to be disposed of that it might be impossible to finish next week. Prorogation will likely take place on June 9 or 10.

## ONTARIO ELECTIONS ARE SET FOR JUNE 29

Toronto, May 30.—Sir James F. Whitney made the announcement yesterday that the provincial elections are to be held on Monday, June 29.

Premier Whitney issued a manifesto in which he explained why the government has decided to go to the country before the expiration of the term. He said that it had been a constitutional practice to consult the electorate when measures of more than usual interest were proposed.

## CANADIAN CADETS WIN AT PORTSMOUTH SHOOT

London, May 30.—The Canadian cadets easily won the match at Portsmouth yesterday. The scores were: Canada, 578; Hampshire cadets, 514; officers' training corps, 490. Six prizes for individual scores were all awarded to Canadians.

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## SEVEN HUNDRED FOR AD MEN'S CONVENTION

Vancouver Preparing for Large Gathering to Be Held Next Month

Vancouver, B. C., May 30.—Reports received by the convention committee of the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's association, which meets here June 11, 12 and 13, indicate that the delegations from Spokane, Portland, Tacoma, Seattle and Los Angeles will number close on to 400 persons, and with representations from San Francisco, San Diego, Stockton, Oakland and other centres of ad men's activities in California, Oregon and Washington which are yet to be heard from, together with the Vancouver delegation, it is believed that more than 700 publicity men will participate in the proceedings of the convention.

The plans for the entertainment of the visitors have been completed. The convention committee is fully financed. On Thursday morning, June 11, the delegates and their ladies will be welcomed to the city, the principal speaker at the opening session of the convention being Mayor Truman S. Baxter. The ladies of the party will be welcomed by Lady Tupper, wife of Sir Charles Hilbert Tupper. Following these formal proceedings, the ladies will be entertained at a complimentary noonday luncheon by the Women's Canadian club, and publicity men will be the guests of the members of the Vancouver Rotary club, who expect many fellow Rotarians at the convention, and who entered most heartily into the plan of acting as hosts on this occasion. In the afternoon the party will cross Burrard Inlet to the north shore, where they will be the guests of the municipality of North Vancouver on an automobile trip to Capilano Canyon. Tea will be served at Capilano, and the party will return to the city in plenty of time for dinner and to take in the pleasant theatricals depicting scenes in the early history and settlement of British Columbia.

On June 12 the ladies will be the guests of Reeve Lawson of the municipality of West Vancouver, and will see the historical pageant in the afternoon in Vancouver. On Friday evening the annual dinner of the Pacific Coast Advertising Men's association will be held at the Vancouver hotel. On Saturday the visitors will be taken by automobile to New Westminster, where they will be the guests of Mayor A. Wells Gray and the council.

## PARENTS OF MISSING CHILD UNDER ARREST

Conspiracy is Charge in Affair That Occurred Over One Year Ago.

Newcastle, Ind., May 30.—Dr. and Mrs. W. M. Winters, father and step-mother of Catherine Winters, aged 9, who disappeared from her home near here more than a year ago, were arrested to-day on their arrival here from Terre Haute, Ind. They were charged with conspiracy to commit a felony. This makes three arrests in the case. W. H. Cooper, a former roomer in the Winters home having been arrested late last night.

It was stated that the charge of conspiracy to commit a felony had been placed against the three persons under arrest merely as a means of holding them, and that the charge might be changed later.

It was said a second search of the home of Dr. W. A. Winters, father of the girl, would be made late to-day. Private detectives and local police officers who searched the home last night asserted they found, sealed in the basement wall, a red hair ribbon, a red undershirt and red sweater which had belonged to the missing child.

The sweater, police officers declared, had holes in it which looked as if they had been burned there, and the undershirt was stained as if by blood.

Cooper was a roomer at the Winters home at the time of the disappearance of the girl, but left Newcastle the day after she disappeared and remained away for ten days. He did not seem much surprised when arrested and declared that he could prove an alibi. He also blamed Mayor Watkins for his predicament.

Dr. and Mrs. Winters were in Terre Haute, where motion pictures are being shown to raise funds to further the search for Catherine.

Large sums of money have been spent in searching for the child, and she has been reported found in various parts of the country, but each report has proved untrue.

ROOSEVELT SAILS TO SPAIN FOR WEDDING

New York, May 30.—Theodore Roosevelt, accompanied by Philip Roosevelt, a young cousin, and his eldest daughter, Mrs. Nicholas Longworth, of Cincinnati, sailed for Spain to-day on the steamer Olympic to attend the wedding of his son Kermit, in Madrid, on June 10, to Miss Belle Willard, daughter of the American ambassador to Spain.

The colonel said before leaving he had issued an important political statement for publication in to-morrow's papers. He added that most of his time while away would be devoted to writing an account of his South American travels.

On the steamer, Col. Roosevelt had a meeting with George W. Perkins, Alexander P. Moore, of Pittsburgh; Medill McCormick, of Chicago, and several other Progressive leaders.

No one really believes that force or violence are sane remedies for the evils of the world, and the whole history of mankind shows a gradual decline in the

## TRADE REPORTS SHOW IMPROVED CONDITION

General Trade Better; Failures in Canada Two Less for Week

New York, May 30.—Bradstreet's to-day says: Good weather, except in parts of the south and southwest; continued active retail demand for spring and summer wearing apparel, improved demand from jobbers and wholesalers, for cotton and other dress fabrics, further sales of basic pig iron, good reports on leading crops, excepting cotton and the heaviest exports of wheat since January 15, constitute the distinctly favorable features of the week's trade reports. In addition, the optimistic feeling noted in financial markets or voiced by leaders of industry seems to have gained force.

For the week failures 290, compared with 218 last year; wheat exports 5,709,367 bushels, against 6,093,357 bushels last year; bank clearings, \$2,855,625,000; a decrease of 4.6 per cent.

New York, May 30.—Dun's Review says: A period of continuous warm weather, has had a beneficial effect on practically all commercial lines and is tending to offset the earlier handicap of a backward spring.

The movement of seasonable goods, both at wholesale and retail, shows an increase and most reports indicate that confidence is gaining strength.

As yet the usual statistical comparisons do not reflect the current business improvements, gross earnings of railroads making returns for three weeks of May being 7.4 per cent, less than last year, while bank clearings this week were 4.6 per cent, smaller.

Failures this week numbered 232 in the United States against 223 last year, and 32 in Canada, compared with 34 last year.

## LORD MAYOR OF LONDON STARTS RELIEF FUND

Many Pitiable Scenes at Offices; King George Expresses Regret.

London, May 30.—The British public, which went home last night believing that the greater part of the passengers on the Empress of Ireland had survived the disaster in the St. Lawrence, was shocked to learn this morning that the loss of life exceeded 1,000 and that many of the victims were from the United Kingdom. King George sent a messenger to the European manager of the C. P. R., expressing his sorrow at the disaster and the great loss of life.

John Burns, president of the local government board, was one of the first callers at the London offices of the company to ask for the latest news. The lord mayor of London, on learning the extent of the disaster decided to open a fund toward the relief of the widows and orphans of those of the passengers and crew who had been lost.

Great crowds besieged the London and Liverpool offices of the company and anxiously scanned the lists of the rescued.

There were many pitiable scenes when women and men who had waited throughout the night in the hope of hearing that friends or relatives were safe could not find their names on the lists, and turned away in despair, only to return when further bulletins were posted.

## STOMACH TROUBLE AND HEADACHE

Cured by MOTHER SEIGEL'S SYRUP

When the stomach is unable to do its work properly and in a natural way, it is bound to react harmfully on your whole system. If steps are not taken to remedy the evil, the every day duties of life soon become a burden. A disordered stomach is the sure forerunner of headache, biliousness, constipation, and countless other troubles. A great Scotch physician, Dr. Abernethy, said: "If there were no indigestion, we doctors would have little to do."

The experience of Madam Jos. H. Parent, of Blair Athol P. O., Restigouche Co., N. B., confirms this. Writing on February 2nd, 1912, this lady says: "Six months ago I was sick from disordered stomach. The result was frequent and severe headaches which prostrated me. Sometimes the headache would continue all day, and be accompanied by sickness and a sensation of fullness. This was particularly the case after eating. After four months of this sort of life, I had lost my color and appeared quite anemic; and was, besides, very depressed. I tried several medicines recommended by my friends, but none of them brought me any relief, the pains after meals and the headaches continuing as before.

"Last August it occurred to me that possibly Mother Seigel's Syrup might be suitable for my complaint, and I made up my mind to try it. The result was better than I had dared to hope for. My relief was immediate and thorough. I took the Syrup daily after meals for two months, by which time my cure was complete; but my worst symptoms had disappeared in two weeks."

Mother Seigel's Syrup is a sure cure for stomach troubles and is made from the extracts of more than ten different roots, barks and herbs, which have a remarkable tonic effect on the organs of digestion—the stomach, liver and bowels—enabling them to do their work in a natural way.

Price, \$1.00. Trial size, 50 cents. A. J. White & Co., Ltd., Montreal.

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## Startling News From the Mantle Section

The greatest and most genuine bargains ever offered to the women of Victoria are yours to choose from this evening. There's no time to think over these values—ACTION is what's necessary—quick action. Price reductions on ladies' ready-to-wear in Victoria during the last week or two have been pretty general all round, but—

## Never Were There Such Values as These Suits, Coats and Dresses Which Go This Evening for . . . \$10

If you'd but see these garments you would readily admit that never have you had such a bargain opportunity before.

### Suits, Regular \$20 and Some Up to \$25, This Evening \$10.00

New Suits, mind you, not shop soiled through persistent handling, or so extreme in style as to suit but few women, but suits to suit you all—plain or novelty styles, and the price this evening is . . . \$10

### Dresses That Are Dreams of Loveliness, This Evening \$10.00

Every woman needs a dainty dress but it's a certainty every woman will not be fortunate enough to get one of these for the number is very limited. Charming creations in cream serge, black armure cloth, navy blue serge, mesaline silk and taffeta silk. Your choice this evening for . . . \$10

### New Street and Outing Coats, Get One This Evening \$10.00

Remarkable value is the keynote of this special group of Coats. Those desirable Bal-macoon and Sports Coats are in this group—Coats that will be appreciated on a chilly evening, coming home from the picnic or motoring. This evening . . . \$10

### Children's Jerseys One Size Only Half-Price

For children, age between 2 and 3 years. They are all-wool, pull-over style, with button shoulder. In navy, sage, brown, green and red. Regular price 90c. This evening . . . HALF-PRICE

### Silk Hose—Extra Special

A lot that is made up from broken lines. A fine quality pure Silk Hose, with wide lisle tops and soles. They come in various weights, in black, white and tan, and the regular price is up to 90c per pair. Special this evening at . . . 60c

One line of shot Silk Hose in beautiful colors, such as black shot with royal purple, tango, crimson, emerald or white. Besides being a novelty these are wonderful value at, pair, \$1.00

### Six Racks of Children's Coats at Half-Price For Ages of 2 to 14 Years

Our complete stock of Children's Spring and Summer Coats, comprising six racks, are offered to-day at half-price. There are serges, Panamas, whipcords, tweeds, pongee and silks. Coats for school, Coats for the holidays and little dressy Coats, in three-quarter and full length. Shades of navy, sage, red, grey, tan, fawn, shepherd's cheeks, green, cream, etc. Regular price range, \$27.50 to \$3.25. This evening, price range is \$13.75 to . . . \$1.65

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### Underwear Specials

Three Extra Specials in Undervests

Lovely quality, real Swiss fine ribbed Lisle Vests, with very nice crocheted yokes, in either short sleeves or no sleeves, low neck. Originally priced at 75c. Extra special this evening . . . 50c

### Ladies' Knit Vest Special

They come in either plain or ribbed cotton, also porous eyelet mesh, short sleeves or no sleeves and dainty lace yokes. Each 35c, 3 for . . . \$1.00

The third line we offer is a wonderful value, in fine cotton knit Vests, in various styles, without sleeves or with short sleeves; plain yokes or fancy trimmed. Specially good value at, each, 20c. This evening, 3 for . . . 50c

## Better Values in Home Furniture

WE offer a splendid selection of FURNITURE, CARPETS AND LINOLEUM, suitable for the home and office, at very low prices. Our aim is to offer goods of high quality only at moderate prices, and we challenge comparison of values. We give a discount of 10% for spot cash off regular prices, and we invite you to inspect our stock and see for yourself the good values we offer. You can save money by furnishing here.

### Dining Chairs

Golden Solid Oak Dinners, seats upholstered in real leather. One arm and five small chairs. Better value price is only . . . \$21.60

### Ladies' Writing Desk

Just the thing for the home, nicely finished in golden or Early English oak. Large writing bed with enclosed pigeon holes for papers; drawer beneath. Cash price, only . . . \$10.80

### Window Blinds

See us for these goods. We use only the best hand-made Oil Opaque and the famous Stewart Hartshorn Rollers (the tackless kind). We guarantee every Blind we make. Call and see our samples to-day. Estimates cheerfully furnished.

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### MRS. TEMPLEMAN.

As announced elsewhere in this issue of the Times, Mrs. William Templeman died at an early hour this morning. Mrs. Templeman had been seriously ill for a considerable time and realized that the hour of departure was approaching, but while consciousness remained she faced eternity with the same cheerfulness and serenity that characterized her acceptance of all the vicissitudes of life.

Those who had the privilege of enjoying the acquaintance of the deceased lady will acquit us of extravagance of statement when we say that in character she was most engaging and in disposition unselfish, always ready to sacrifice herself on behalf of a cause and of those with whom she became associated. While never desirous of pushing herself into prominence, Mrs. Templeman was active in the promotion of all works of benevolence and of every movement for the uplift of the less fortunate sections of the community.

During the term of her residence in Ottawa she was one of the most popular hostesses of the capital, her naturally engaging manners, perfect simplicity of disposition and unruffled poise under all conditions and circumstances, gaining her friends in all parts of Canada, and even beyond the confines of her own country.

But it is within the confines of her own home that the loss of Mrs. Templeman will be felt most severely. She was a helpmeet to her husband in the best and oldest-fashioned sense of the term. If expressions of sympathy can soften the shock of the blow that has fallen upon Mr. Templeman, he has them in full measure from the staff of the Times, most of whom have been in his service for many years, and we know that a goodly number of the people of Victoria will join in such sympathetic expressions.

### PERILS OF THE DEEP.

Yesterday we commented upon the apparent ineffectiveness of the bulkheads of the steamship Empress of Ireland. In the light of further details respecting the collision it is easy to understand why the closing of these bulkheads failed to make the compartments watertight and why the passengers on the doomed liner were given such a short space of time to prepare for the plunge into the waters of the St. Lawrence. If the collision had delivered her fatal stroke at right angles, the Empress, being so near to land, might have landed nearly all her passengers in safety and possibly saved herself from foundering. But the blow was the most destructive that could be delivered. It was a longitudinal stroke—to some extent at least—and practically tore its way through a large part of the vessel, laying her open to a great rush of water which no bulkheads ever devised could have checked. The probability is that none of the aft bulkheads could be closed; also that numbers of the passengers were killed in their berths, which in modern steamers are located around the sides. In the collision with a bulkhead, although possibly traveling at slow speed, the doomed Empress was more severely stricken than was the Titanic in her encounter with an iceberg. The White Star liner suffered the loss of a large part of her bottom; the Empress had her side laid open for a large part of her length as well as her bottom ripped away for a

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corresponding distance. The fate of the Empress carries a lesson, therefore, for navigators rather than for shipbuilders. The fate of the Titanic conveyed an intimation to naval designers which already has been taken advantage of. But a "double skin" could not have saved the Empress from destruction under the circumstances which sounded her doom. Perhaps there always will be occasional accidents while men go down to the sea in ships.

### NO MAKE-SHIFT WANTED.

The people of Victoria will not be satisfied with a make-shift trestle across Selkirk Water and the Premier's suggestion that such a contrivance be allowed to disfigure the waters of the Arm for six years is nothing less than a betrayal of the public interest. We are told by the local government organ that the time limit suggested by Sir Richard McBride is a compromise between the board's maximum and the company's minimum. There is no need of any compromise. The contract between the province and the company provides for a certain standard of construction in this province and that contract should be carried out to the letter.

The people of Victoria, in common with those of the rest of the province, have guaranteed the bonds of the company in the sum of \$48,000,000; with those of the other provinces they last year gave Mackenzie & Mann the sum of \$15,000,000 outright, and are now asked to guarantee \$45,000,000 more. Should the company default the public will be held most rigidly to their part of the contract. Why, then, should the heavily bonused other party to the bargain be permitted to dodge it?

Three months ago the legislature of this province guaranteed the bonds of the Canadian Northern Pacific in the additional sum of \$10,000 per mile on the main line on the assurance of the Premier that it was to enable the company to improve its standard of construction and, we presume, that principle applies to all its works in this province, even though all did not receive further aid. We have been told time and again by Sir Richard McBride and the morning paper that the standard of the road in this province was to be of the highest character, surpassing its rivals. Why should that standard be departed from in the case of the entrance of this enormously assisted line to its terminals in the capital city of the province?

The pretence that permission to erect a temporary structure is required to facilitate the entrance of the line to the reserve is so absurd that we are surprised that it should be given more than momentary consideration in any quarter. Last session the time for the completion of the lines from Victoria to Patricia Bay and from Steveston to New Westminster bridge was extended to July, 1914. This actually gives the company a year longer to establish these connecting links than it would require to construct a permanent bridge across Selkirk Water, for that work would not consume more than twelve months. In fact, if operations on the bridge began this summer and were pushed with expedition we have no doubt the work would be finished a considerable time before the connecting links were ready for traffic. Besides, not a thing has been done to provide for the modern, first-class ferry service specified in the contract so cordially endorsed by the people of Victoria.

The company is willing to make the centre bascule pier of permanent construction. It should be compelled to extend this principle to the entire bridge. This was the standard the people voted for; the standard they were led to expect, and we are convinced that unless it is insisted upon at this time it never will be adhered to. It is outrageous that anything else should be even hinted at in the case of a city of the prominence of Victoria, a city which, we were told, was to be one of the most important terminal points of a great transcontinental system.

# June Whitewear Sale Commences Monday

In Addition to Our Regular June Offerings in Whitewear and Waists, We Place on Sale Extraordinary Bargains from Various Sections of the Store.

## Women's Princess Slips from 90c to \$2.90

THE transparent effects in Women's Summer Dresses and Waists makes a daintily trimmed Princess slip an absolute necessity. The values we offer at this June Sale combines quality and daintiness with very low prices. For instance:—

**Princess Slip**, made of strong white cotton, tucked flounce trimmed with lace, square yoke tucked and trimmed with lace insertion. Special for the June White Sale **90¢**

**Princess Slip** of strong white cotton, tucked flounce edged with fine linen lace; a very neat style. Special for the June White Sale **\$1.25**

Space forbids our giving full descriptions of other styles here. We have a big range of exceptional values up to **\$2.90**

## Dainty Corset Covers from 15c to 90c

SOME of the Daintiest Styles and best values ever offered at a June White Sale. It will require no second look to realize that these are most unusual bargains.

**Corset Covers**, made of strong white cotton and prettily trimmed with heavy Cluny lace. June White Sale **15¢**

**Corset Covers** of fine cotton, neatly trimmed with narrow lace edging. June White Sale **25¢**

**Another Style**, made of fine cotton, with yoke of fine lace. June White Sale **25¢**

**Corset Covers**, made from a good quality of cotton, tight fitting style, all sizes. June White Sale **35¢**

**Corset Covers** of good quality white cotton, with tucked front and trimmed with linen lace insertion. Yoke of linen lace and neck and sleeves finished with merino lace edging. June White Sale **35¢**

**Corset Covers**, well made of fine white cotton, yoke of embroidery, armholes and neck finished with lace. June White Sale **35¢**

**Corset Covers** of fine cotton crepe, trimmed with bands of linen lace across front, neck and armholes finished with fine-linen lace. These are exceptionally well made and very neatly finished. Extra special for the June White Sale **40¢**

Other Dainty Styles priced up to **90¢**

## Special Bargains in Women's Combinations from 90c to \$1.90

THERE'S usually a big demand for these garments at our June White Sale, and this season will see no exception, judging by the values being offered. However, the garments are their own best advertisement and you should certainly see the samples displayed in the View street windows. To see is to buy.

**Combinations**—corset covers and drawers; well made garments from fine white cotton, and neatly trimmed with linen lace. January White Sale **90¢**

**Combinations**, made from fine white cotton crepe and daintily trimmed with linen lace. June White Sale **90¢**

**Combinations**—corset cover and drawers; well made and neatly finished from all-over embroidery. Splendid value. June White Sale **\$1.90**

**French Hand Embroidered Combinations** to Sell at **\$1.90**

These are beautifully made garments, consisting of Corset Cover and Drawers. Hand-made, from fine quality nainsook and daintily hand-embroidered. Special for the June White Sale **\$1.90**

**Travelers' Sample Combinations**—Values to \$1.75 for **\$1.25**

A beautiful range of Travelers' Samples in Combination Corset Covers and Drawers. These garments are particularly well made and finished from fine grade cotton, and daintily trimmed with lace and embroidery. Regular values to \$1.75. June White Sale **\$1.25**

## Big Values in Children's White Muslin Dresses

Regular Values to \$1.50 for **50¢**

Regular Values to \$6.75 for **\$1.00**

**MOSTLY** small sizes and only a limited quantity at 50¢, but in the \$1.00 offering there are all sizes from 2 to 16 years. The fact that most are slightly soiled is the reason why we have made such a heavy cut in the prices. Apart from this the Dresses are in perfect order. There are muslins, all-over embroidery and lawns; some very daintily trimmed with Valenciennes lace and finished with pale shades of colored ribbon; others trimmed with embroidery.

A splendid opportunity for you to get your girl a White Dress for the Summer.

## Regular \$1.00 Fancy Linens Monday 45¢

In this assortment are pretty designs in Battenburg Runners and Squares. A good range to choose from and all marked at less than half price for the June White Sale.

## Exceptional Values In Women's Drawers From 15c to 90c

GOOD serviceable qualities that are bargains indeed. See the samples displayed in View street windows. It will be necessary to shop early to secure some of these.

**Drawers**, made from strong white cotton, tucked and trimmed with Cluny lace. These will sell quickly at **15¢**

**Drawers** of good quality white cotton, made in various styles, some with tucked front, other styles with frill of embroidery. June White Sale **35¢**

**Drawers** of good, strong cotton, finished with frill of embroidery. June White Sale **50¢**

**Drawers** of heavy white cotton, trimmed with insertion and edging of Cluny lace. June White Sale **65¢**

**Drawers** of fine nainsook, finished with frill of Swiss embroidery. June White Sale **75¢**

**Drawers** of fine all-over embroidery, made into yoke of nainsook—a dainty style. June White Sale **90¢**

## A Big Clearance of Ladies' Silk and Satin Dresses Monday at \$7.90, \$11.90, \$14.90 and \$19.75

INTO these four prices we have grouped a large and beautiful selection of Ladies' Silk and Satin Dresses for a quick clearance Monday. Some extraordinary values are to be had, as you will note by the samples displayed in the View street windows. Some of the most noticeable features are tiered and draped skirts, low necks; some suitable for street wear, others for fancy afternoon reception wear, and others which are included in the offering at \$14.75 are suitable for evening wear or for garden parties.

## Extraordinary June Bargains In Cloth Dresses at \$12.50

WE believe we are well within the mark when we say that these are the best values we've ever offered in Cloth Dresses at the beginning of a June white sale. That you may gather a true idea of the remarkable values being offered, we quote the following particulars. Included are:

9 Dresses formerly marked at **\$15.00**  
4 Dresses formerly marked at **\$17.50**  
16 Dresses formerly marked at **\$20.00**  
17 Dresses formerly marked at **\$25.00**  
1 Dress formerly marked at **\$30.00**  
1 Dress formerly marked at **\$40.00**

While there's a good variety of styles, the leading features are: Draped and tiered skirts, kimono sleeves in three-quarter and full lengths, Dutch collars and fancy yokes of lace.

Your choice Monday from any of these for **\$12.50**

## Special June Sale of Trimmed Millinery, Monday at \$2.50

FOR samples of this offering see the display in Douglas street windows. There are some lovely hats to be had and every one a rare bargain. Values in this lot range as high as \$15.00. See the display they make in the window. You are sure to find one that will suit and please you.

## 250 40-Piece China Tea Sets, To Clear Monday at \$1.75

Regular Values to \$6.75

### THE BEST VALUE EVER OFFERED IN THE WEST.

VICTORIANS have never had such an opportunity offered them before—the chance to secure a 40-piece Austrian China Tea Set worth \$6.75 for the ridiculously low price of \$1.75. This is by far the biggest values we have yet offered, and it's certainly a chance of a lifetime. It will be to your lasting disappointment if you miss buying one of these Sets.

250 of these Sets are sold as perfect goods; there are a few other better value sets included in the lot that are slightly imperfect—a cup, saucer or plate broken. We offer these at the same price.

Your choice from about 30 different designs, all very neat decorations and every piece finished with gold edges. Each set comprises 12 cups and saucers, 12 plates, 2 cake plates, 1 soup bowl and 1 cream.

You will have to shop early for these—Second floor.

See Broad Street Windows.

## A Big Clearance of Odd Dinnerware Monday

Prices Out of All Proportion to Former Values

We've collected together all our odd lines in English and Porcelain Dinnerware, putting each piece of a kind all in at the same price. There are white and gold, white with grey, white with pink and green, and white with blue.

Covered Vegetable Dishes, each **50¢**  
Covered Sugar Boxes, each **15¢**  
Tea-pots, each **25¢**  
Cream Jugs, each **15¢**  
Platters, from, each, 25¢ to **60¢**  
Sauce Boats, each **15¢**  
Bowls, each **10¢**  
PLATES—Dinner, Breakfast Soup and Dessert—all at, per dozen **60¢**  
Tea Plates and Fruit Saucers, per dozen **30¢**  
Austrian China Soup Tureens, 25 only. Regular values to \$2.75. Monday, each **65¢**

## Women's White Underskirts From 50c to \$1.90

THE popularity of the Separate Skirt this season is making a big demand for white Underskirts. We have some exceptional values to offer at this sale as the following details prove.

**Underskirts**—A very neat skirt, made of strong white cotton, finished with tucked and hemstitched frill. June White Sale, each **50¢**

**Underskirts**, well made from good quality cotton, finished with tucked frill and edged with linen lace. June White Sale, each **65¢**

**Underskirts** in a big variety of styles, trimmed with embroideries and laces. See windows for samples of these. Special June White Sale values from **75¢** to **\$1.90**

## Unusual Values in Women's Night-Gowns From 35c to \$5.90

ONE of the largest assortments of Women's Gowns we've ever offered at a June white sale. The extraordinary values will create brisk selling, and all who are waiting for this sale to replenish their wardrobe will be wise in making their purchases early on Monday morning.

**Night-gowns** of white cotton, made in slip-over style, neck and sleeves finished with narrow embroidery. Special for the June White Sale only **35¢**

**Night-gown** of white cotton, made in the high neck style and long sleeves. June White Sale **35¢**

**Night-gown**, made from fine cotton, yoke and kimono sleeves of insertion and lace. Exceptional value for the June White Sale **50¢**

**Night-gown**, made from heavy cotton, in slip-over style, neck and sleeves, finished with 1-inch Cluny lace. June White Sale **65¢**

**Night-gown** of fine cotton, made in slip-over style, tucked yoke with band of embroidery across front, sleeves and neck edged with lace. June White Sale **65¢**

**Night-gown** of fine cotton crepe, neck and short sleeves trimmed with fine linen lace; splendid quality and an extra special offering for the June White Sale at **90¢**

**Night-gowns**, made from fine quality crepe, in kimono styles, short sleeves, scalloped edges, neck finished with dainty lace and ribbon. June White Sale **\$1.00**

**Night-gowns** of fine nainsook, short sleeves and neck finished with fine lace and ribbon; a very dainty style. Special for the June White Sale only **\$1.15**

**Other Gowns** in more elaborate, also in French hand-made styles, marked at various prices up to **\$5.90**

## June White Sale Brings a Remarkable Offering in Women's Waists at 75c

This year sees no exception to our usual policy. We believe we have exceeded our usual limit in value giving in this special June White Sale offering of Women's and Children's Waists.

Four windows on View street are devoted to the showing of samples of these Waists, and from this display you will gather a truer idea of their real worth than anything that we can say here. Space being at a premium, too, makes it necessary for us to give but a brief description.

**In Fancy Styles** the chief features are the drop shoulder and V-shaped neck effects. There are over 30 different designs to choose from, and from such an assortment of values worth double and treble the sale price, these Waists should be picked up in a very short space of time.

**Shirt Waists** in vesting, pique and linenette. A splendid assortment to choose from, mostly featuring soft turn-down French collar and turn-back cuffs; all white; also white ground with various colored stripes.

**Peter Pan Style** in all white, also white with colored stripe-collars and patch pockets; also white with pique collar.

**Children's Waists** in white linen, Peter Pan style, trimmed with colored collar. Sizes 12, 14 and 16 years. June White Sale **75¢**

## Ladies' Mercerized Sweaters

Special Monday at \$5.75

Coat style with V-shaped neck and side pockets. A beautiful mercerized quality that looks like silk. In colors old rose, emerald, helio and white, black and Copenhagen, black and gold, black and emerald and black and cerise.

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## Only One Cent a Dose!

At this moderate rate a muddy complexion and a sal-low skin can be cleared up, a tired body strengthened and a depressed spirit re-juvenated. A bottle of Bowes' Extract of Sarsapilla costs only \$1.00—get one to-day.

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## Butterick Patterns

## Satin Skirts for a Song!

Through some mischance a shipment of Satin Messaline Underskirts, ordered for Easter, has only just arrived. This means a grand chance for some-body! Do not miss this opportunity.

Prices: \$3.00 (steam-pleated), \$2.00 and ..... \$1.50  
Colors:—Paddy, Tango, Cerise, Old Rose, Saxe, Royal Blue, Purple, Etc.

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"A Play That You'll Remember."

Presented by  
**Boys' Division Y. M. C. A.**

In aid of Summer Camp Fund.  
Prices 25c and 35c  
All seats reserved.  
Friday and Saturday, May 29, 30

## BRIEF NEWS OF THE CITY

Wm. Stewart, Men's and Ladies' Tailor, A. Campbell building, corner Fort and Douglas street.

S. P. C. A.—Cases of cruelty 'phone Inspector Russell, 1921; Secretary, L1738.

Needless Operations and Expense Avoided by having your dental work done by Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government street.

The B. C. Funeral Co., Chas. Hayward, president, 784 Broughton street. Calls promptly attended to. Phone 2235.

Phoenix Stout, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

A New Method for Extraction of Teeth absolutely without pain. Dr. J. L. Thompson, 1214 Government street. Open evenings.

"Versatiles," Stadacona park, "to-night," 8 o'clock.

Iron Beds.—New beds, full size, best quality, white enamel, plain and brass trimmed. Regular down-town prices \$3.00 to \$10. Our prices, \$2.25 to \$5.90 each. Restroom mattresses, springs, pillows, camp cots and pads, at the lowest price in the city. Galloway's Furniture store, 2649 Douglas street, near Hillside avenue.

Economy Wet Wash Laundry.—Family wash, 75c a week. Clothes returned on the following day, thoroughly washed. Phone 3339. 2612 Bridge street.

Show Cases.—\$9 per foot and up. We design and fit up complete stores of every description. Call up Victoria Show Case Co., 2836. Factory, 2207 Government St.

For Fire, marine, automobile, liability, sickness and accident, plate glass, elevator and employers' liability, consult Gillespie, Hart & Todd, general agents for British Columbia. All claims settled and paid by our office.

Carpets Vacuum Cleaned. Phone 4618.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.50 per doz. qts.

Wanted to Purchase.—Good agreements for sale at reasonable rates. Colonial Trust Company, Limited, Merchants Bank building.

"Versatiles," Stadacona park, "to-night," 8 o'clock.

SANDS Funeral Furnishing Co., Limited, Funeral Directors and Licensed Embalmers. You will find our charges reasonable. Prompt and courteous. Service day or night. Phone 3306. Lady in attendance, 1515 Quadra street.

Should Eat Ice Cream.—Should eat it out of one of our nice neat silver-lined glass ice cream sets. Sets consist of one serving dish and six-footed nappies. \$3 the set. R. A. Brown & Co., 1302 Douglas St.

Furniture.—New dressers, chiffoniers, tables, chairs of all kinds at the lowest prices. See our solid oak dresser, 3 large drawers and large British Bevel plate mirror for only \$19.90. Galloway's Furniture store, 2649 Douglas street, near Hillside avenue.

Arbitration to Proceed.—Another of the Patricia Bay line cases is to come before an arbitration court next Thursday. Judge Barker, Nanaimo, will be the chairman; R. S. Day will represent the C. N. Pacific, which is securing its right-of-way for the line, and Hugh Kennedy will represent R. N. Ferguson, Portage Inlet, whose case is to be taken up.

Owners Want Compensation.—A deputa-tion of property owners of Extension waited upon the provincial executive yesterday afternoon with H. A. Maclean, K. C., as counsel, to ask that some compensation be paid to them for the damage done to their homes and other property during the strike riots. The government promised that consideration would be given to the claims advanced.

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## TWENTY-FIVE YEARS AGO TO-DAY

Victoria Times, Thursday, May 30, 1889.

The revision of the real estate assessment roll for the city of Nanaimo is nearly completed. The total assessment last year was in round numbers \$303,000, but the roll for this year, also in round numbers is \$592,000, showing an average increase of over 92 per cent.

"London, the Metropolis of the World," was the subject of a lecture given in the Victoria theatre last evening by Mr. Bolton before a capacity audience, many having been turned away from the doors. Some of the views shown were very familiar to many of the spectators.

Willie Chipman, the sanitary engineer of Toronto, to whom the city council telegraphed to come to Victoria and report upon the desirability of a separate system of sewerage for the city, arrived last night by way of San Francisco and Puget Sound. This morning he was engaged at the city surveyor's office in inspecting plans and he also drove over a considerable portion of the city.

The Russian steam corvette, Kraysser, 1500 tons register, anchored in Esquimalt harbor yesterday afternoon from San Francisco. She carries two six inch guns on deck, five nine-pounders, six Hotchkiss guns, one torpedo gun and six Whitehead torpedoes. On Monday morning she will sail for Vladivostok.

**Moontlight Excursion.**—Don't forget the moontlight excursion on Thursday, June 4, around the Gulf Islands on the S. S. Royal starting at 8 p. m., returning at 11 p. m. Orchestra in attendance. Tickets, 75 cents, on sale at C. P. R. office, Government street, and "Two Jacks" Cigar Store, Government St.

**Injured by Motor Bus.**—Suee—Claiming \$10,000 damages, Alex. M. Jeffares has launched a supreme court action against P. L. Wolfenden and Walter A. Millington, owners of the King Edward hotel. Jeffares claims the damages for injuries alleged to have been done to him on February 3 last by the motor bus owned and operated by the defendants. The accident is said to have happened in Government street near the post office and negligence is alleged. Thornton Fell, K. C., is the plaintiff's solicitor.

**Electric Governor.**—Attached to a large compressor used in the stone-yard in connection with the parliament buildings addition is an electric governor and stop, which is the invention of J. A. De Laney, an employee of the contractors, McDonald & Wilson. Mr. De Laney claims that this governor can be adjusted to any piece of running machinery of any type of engine. The switch for the top can be placed in connection with any machinery and will enable the whole plant to be stopped instantly in case of accident without having to lose time going for the engineer. The governor can also be attached to a motor car so as to regulate the speed.

**Building Progress.**—During the month of May so far there have been forty-eight permits for new buildings issued by the city building inspector, of an aggregate value of \$249,775. In addition to the post office, which are estimated at \$150,000. About \$20,000 may be added to the figures for the cost of repairs and other work outside of new building. While there is considerable quiet in building so far the number of permits issued during the month would indicate there is a great deal of building in progress through the city and the building men kept fairly busy all the time. It is worth recording that in Vancouver, despite its greater size, the permits issued weekly do not run over \$20,000. Here, the monthly total has not been below \$100,000 for many months.

**Owners Paying Up Well.**—Monday being the last day for the payment of the year's instalment of the cost of local improvements by owners, the city treasurer's office has been crowded all day by citizens who desire to pay their instalments before interest becomes chargeable on them. City Treasurer Smith stated this morning that the amount being very well met, as all tax payments are in this city, and it is believed that very few ratepayers will be delinquent. After this the rate of interest payable on local improvement assessments is 12 per cent, the change being made last session in the revision of the Municipal act. It was made at the instance of the Union of British Columbia municipalities, with the idea that by raising the rate from eight per cent it would bring in the annual instalments more quickly.

### A SAFE INVESTMENT.

Many people are asking at the present time for a profitable investment for small sums of money; nothing can compare with a life policy in a good company, even ten cents a day can be utilized to splendid advantage. The "Canada Life," established 1847, a home company of the highest standing, offers exceptional advantages to the insured. Let us show you how you can protect your home, wife and children at a minimum cost. Helsterman, Forman & Co., 1210 Broad street, General Agents.

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If not, now is the time to act, as we only had ten of these exceptional values to start with. Mendelssohn Pianos are well known to Canadians as being one of the best pianos ever placed before a discriminating public. The high quality of these instruments, and the low price at which we are selling them insure their immediate removal from our floor. Within the next few days every one of these pianos will find new homes.

They are a thoroughly well-built piano, with a full scale, genuine ivory keys and a double repeating action, and we guarantee them to give lasting satisfaction.

As a special inducement we are offering this excellent instrument as low as \$10 cash, with subsequent payments of \$2 a week. The store will be open to-night until 10 o'clock.

We are also offering special bargains in a few slightly used pianos. The instruments are in every respect as good as new.

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# PHOTO DRAMA OF CREATION

CLOSING EXHIBITION OF GREAT BIBLE DRAMA IN PANTAGES  
THEATRE TO-MORROW.



THE DESIRE OF ALL NATIONS SHALL COME

Part four of the Photo Drama of Creation, which concludes this great Bible Drama, will be exhibited to-morrow in the Pantages theatre at 10.30 a. m., 3.00 p. m. and 7.30 p. m.

It portrays the church's history and corroborates the Bible testimony from Pentecost to our day. The history of the early church, the conversion of Saul of Tarsus, scenes from the church at Antioch and Berea, the pilgrimage of the Apostle Paul and the persecution of the early Christian martyrs fills many hearts with wonder and admiration at the faith and fortitude of these humble followers of Him who "spoke as never man spake."

Following, scene after scene, falls upon the screen, tracing with realism and accuracy the church's history to the Reformation and onward, each feature of which is explained by the unseen orator.

Then comes the Scriptural testimony regarding the "Signs of the Son of Man" and the wonderful corroboration of these in our midst to-day, the foretold increase of knowledge, the running to and fro and the foretold Armageddon are portrayed and interwoven with the Bible testimony with an accuracy and beauty of presentation hitherto seldom, if ever, approached. The drama closes with the prophetic testimony of the time when "the desire of all nations shall come," "the times of the restitution of all things" (Acts 3:19-21) "when He shall have made the place of His feet glorious," when the curse shall have been removed and when the long prayed-for Kingdom shall have been established in power and great glory. "When the lame man shall leap as an hart" and "the tongue of the dumb shall sing," and "when every creature in Heaven and on earth will exclaim blessing and honor and glory and power be unto Him that sits upon the throne and unto the Lamb forever." Thus, with the Hal-leluiah chorus and the ages of glory close the greatest drama of modern times. The Scriptures harmonized from Genesis to Revelation and God's great plan of salvation manifested. Verily "the light shineth more and more unto the perfect day."

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This is the final exhibition of the Drama in this city and the management desires as many as possible to avail themselves of the morning service. Hundreds were unable to gain entrance last Sunday evening. All exhibitions are free. The expenses are borne by the International Bible Students' association.

On Sunday, June 7th, at 7.30, a lecture in the same theatre will be delivered on the Fifth Universal Empire. The kingdom for which the Christian Church has been praying "Thy Kingdom Come."

**Building Expansion.**—Building in Esquimalt is on the increase. During the month of May permits were issued for the erection of buildings which will cost \$22,000, while in April the buildings for which permits were issued were valued only at \$18,650.

**Permits in Oak Bay.**—Building permits issued in Oak Bay during the month of May just concluded were for structures which will have a total value of \$34,300. The total value of permits issued this year so far is now \$185,176, which, while slightly less than the heavy year of 1913, is very favorably viewed.

**Months' Bank Clearings.**—The bank clearings in Victoria for the month of May will aggregate well over twelve million dollars, and this figure compares very favorably with the aggregate clearings for the same month of last year. Up to noon to-day the clearings amounted to \$11,724,351, and at the daily average which has been maintained during the month this will be increased at the close of business on Monday to about \$12,125,000.

## FRECKLE-FACE

Sun and Wind Bring Out Ugly Spots. How to Remove Easily.

Here's a chance, Miss Freckle-face, to try a remedy for freckles with the guarantee of a reliable dealer that it will not cost you a penny unless it removes the freckles; while if it does give you a clear complexion the expense is trifling. Simply get an ounce of othine—double strength from any druggist and a few applications should show you how easy it is to rid yourself of the homely freckles and get a beautiful complexion. Rarely is more than one ounce needed for the worst case. Be sure to ask the druggist for the double strength othine as this is the prescription sold under guarantee of money back if it fails to remove freckles.



# Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

## RUSSIA FLIES BLUE

### RIBBON ONCE AGAIN

Empress Crosses-Pacific in Eight Days 18 Hours and 31 Minutes

One of the dreams of seafaring men of a decade ago has been realized. The broad bosom of the Pacific has been crossed in less than nine days, and it fell to the lot of the great C. P. R. liner Empress of Russia, guided by the splendid seamanship of Capt. W. Davison, to accomplish this epoch-making feat. From Yokohama, Hawaii, where the engines were allowed free rein, to Race Rocks, where the slow bell was sounded, the white flyer was 8 days 18 hours and 31 minutes. This eclipses the record of the Empress of Asia by 8 hours and 10 minutes.

The Empress of Russia arrived at the outer docks last evening at 8 o'clock with the golden cock crowing from her masthead. The blue ribbon ship completed her record-breaking trip just as the sun was dipping to rest and there was a big crowd of people at the piers to watch her take up her berth. The Russia has now placed before her sister-ship a mark which looks good enough to stand for some time, but it would not be much of a surprise if the Asia knocked a few hours off this exceptional time.

(Behind For Day's Run.)

There is one argument in favor of the Empress of Asia being able to outdo the Empress of Russia. On her inward trip the present holder of the blue ribbon logged as her best day's run 464 miles, which is nine miles less than the record for 24 hours' steaming of the Asia on her last voyage from Yokohama. The Asia cleaved the waters of the Pacific at a speed of 20 knots and covered 422 miles, which still stands as the greatest distance ever traversed on the Pacific by a steamship in one day.

But before the Russia's officers and crew are convinced that the Asia has a greater turn of speed they will have to be shown. The two ships are evenly matched in speed, but weather conditions play an important part in the rushes across the Pacific. The Empress of Russia made an average speed of 19.57 knots. She was favored with good weather and with the exception of a strong westerly gale when crossing the 150th meridian, there was almost a total absence of wind.

The officials of the C. P. R. were anxious to get the Empress of Russia at her berth in Vancouver as early as possible so that the silk shipment might be placed on board the waiting silk train and sent on its way across the continent to New York. Immediately after about 500 bags of mail and a great deal of baggage had been discharged, the Russia backed out and headed for the terminal port. The silk consignment brought in by the Russia amounts to several million dollars.

**Record Passenger List.**

Two hundred and three saloon passengers arrived on the Empress of Russia, constituting a new record for this class of travel on the Pacific. The white liners are proving quite popular in the Oriental trade. The Empress of Asia on her last voyage brought 190 first-class travelers. Of the Russia's list 47 disembarked at this port. Eleven second class and 113 steerage passengers also left the ship at this port. In steerage there were 630 Chinese. Some of these are return men but the majority are coming to this country for the first time.

The Russia sails outward on June 11 and will go as far as Manila.

## SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

May 29.

Aberdeen, Wash.—Sailed: Mrs. G. C. Lindauer, Doris, Fair Oaks and San Jacinto, San Francisco; sch. James H. Bruce, Port Allen, Hawaiian Islands.

San Pedro, Cal.—Arrived: Str. Raymond, Santa Barbara. Sailed: Str. Multnomah and Daisy Putnam, Portland; Santa Catalina, San Francisco; President, Seattle via San Francisco.

Tacoma, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Congress, Seattle. Sailed: Str. Ellihu Thomson, Nome; Congress and Admiral Farragut, Seattle.

Astoria, Ore.—Arrived: Str. Santa Clara, Puget Sound. Sailed: Str. Siskiyou, California; Thomas L. Ward, Southeastern Alaska; Alliance, Eureka and Coos Bay; Yosemite, San Francisco; Edgar H. Vance, San Pedro; barque Belfast, Caliz.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Str. Governor, El Segundo and Richmond, Seattle; Saginaw, Aberdeen; Beaver, Portland; Shinyo Maru, Nagasaki; Asuncion, Cordova; sch. Lilly, Umpqua. Sailed: Str. Adeline Smith, Coos Bay; sch. Spokane, Port Gamble, Seattle, Wash.—Arrived: Str. Congress, Tacoma; Fulton, Powell River; Admiral Farragut, Tacoma. Sailed: Str. Congress, San Diego via San Francisco.

### INSPECTS WORK ON PIERS.

Grant Smith, head of the contracting firm of Grant, Smith & McDonald, which is building the new piers in the outer harbor, has arrived in this city to inspect the work under way and is staying at the Empress hotel. After visiting the scene of his firm's work he expressed satisfaction at the progress which had been made.

## SHIPPING WAS BUSY

### DURING PAST WEEK

Many Vessels Berthed at Outer Docks; Three Ships Due in Next Week

During the week which is just drawing to a close Victoria's shipping has been reminiscent of the busy days which were known prior to the visitation of the general slump along the Pacific coast. No less than seven steamships made fast their mooring ropes at the outer docks, completing long voyages from foreign shores, and two deep-sea ships called in here on their way out to the Orient.

On Tuesday the Maple Leaf freighter Queen Louise arrived here from New York, and on the next day was followed in by the Canadian-Australian liner Marama and the Hoerde, of the Hamburg-American fleet. The Grace steamship St. Hugo also came into port on Wednesday to discharge 600 tons of nitrate from Chilean ports. On Thursday the Osaka liner Canada Maru completed her voyage from Hongkong and Yokohama, and yesterday the steamship Robert Dollar docked to be inspected before proceeding to Genoa Bay to load her cargo of lumber for Toronto. Last night the Leviathan Empress of Russia was in port for a few hours. The outward sailings included the Chicago Maru, of the C. P. R. fleet, departing on Tuesday, and the Empress of Japan, putting to sea on Thursday.

**Light Week Ahead.**

Wireless communication was established last night between one of the coast stations and the inbound Japanese steamship Tamba Maru. She was 1,320 miles at sea at 8 o'clock, and it is expected that she will reach William Head about noon on Wednesday. The Nippon liner is bringing in a fair list of passengers, and has about 400 tons of cargo to discharge at the outer docks.

Another arrival next week will be the Ixion, of the Blue Funnel fleet. She is coming in from Liverpool via the Orient, and should dock about Friday. The Ixion has a large number of Oriental cargo on board and is about half full of cargo.

To-morrow at noon the Harrison liner Benefactor is due to arrive from the United Kingdom via the Strait of Magellan. She has several hundred tons of cargo to put off at the outer docks.

The only departure from Victoria will be the Shizuka Maru, of the Nippon line, which clears for the Orient on Tuesday afternoon.

### TOWING AQUITANIA DOWN

#### CLYDE DIFFICULT TASK

The delicate operation of transferring the great Cunard liner Aquitania from Clydebank to the T. & E. Bank at Greenock, has been successfully accomplished.

The awkwardness of the task may be judged by the fact that for the greater part of the journey, a distance of about 14 miles, the channel of the Clyde is only about 600 feet wide, while the Aquitania is 900 feet long. For several hours all traffic on the upper reaches of the river was suspended in order to lessen risks of accident. The gravest anxiety was felt by the Clyde trustees and the builders, John Brown & Co., because any mishap to the great liner during her progress down the river would have meant bottling up Glasgow harbor.

Before setting out on the journey the vessel had to be cantied, a delicate manoeuvre which was accomplished with the aid of tugs in half an hour. The Aquitania had raised steam in half of her boilers in order to aid her in negotiating the awkward bend in the river, and accompanied by four tugs ahead and two tugs astern she set off down the river about 11 o'clock in the forenoon. When opposite Dalmuir, where the worst bend in the Clyde had to be negotiated, the vessel almost met with disaster when turning the corner.

Her head swung dangerously near the south bank, and it looked as if she would run ashore. The Aquitania at once went astern with her starboard engine, while the tugs pulled at her bows in an effort to bring her into mid-stream again. For a few seconds it seemed as if they were to be unsuccessful, but after 10 minutes' strenuous work she was once more got under way. There were fears that there would not be sufficient water in the river to keep the high vessel afloat, but on the day of shifting the big vessel but there was a depth of 35 feet, and as the ship was only drawing 30 feet, she was able to complete the remainder of the journey without mishap. On reaching Greenock she cast off the tugs and proceeded at a speed of about 12 knots down the Clyde to Wemyss Bay, where her compasses were adjusted, and she underwent helm trials.

Extraordinary public interest was manifested in the event, and during her progress down the river the Aquitania was witnessed by crowds numbering close upon half a million persons, as the event took place on a Sunday owing to the river being more free of shipping. In some instances the forenoon services in the churches were postponed, and at one point of the journey a brass band on the bank greeted the vessel with the strains of "Rule Britannia." At Kilpatrick one woman fell into the water and was drowned.

At Breslau, Germany, a paper chimney, fifty feet high and fireproof, is one of the curiosities.

## BOATING SEASON IS

### AGAIN AN ATTRACTION

Canoeists and Others Feel Need of Precautions on Inner Waters

Now that the boating season in the upper harbor and Victoria Arm and the Gorge is getting into full swing, it is imperative that precautions be taken to prevent accidents. The rules regarding the speed of launches and the necessary lights to be carried by craft of all kinds are quite plain, and the wise pleasure-seekers are fortifying themselves by complying with them. Canoeists and others point out that it would lessen the dangers of boating at night if lights were displayed on the ends of the many booms of logs, which are moored in the upper harbor, and also on the new pipe line bridge, to indicate the channel for launches and canoes. A light of some kind on the small patch of rocks lying between Deadman's Island and the shore would also be of great assistance to small craft in indicating the turn, it is pointed out.

During the past few evenings several speed boats have been disporting themselves on the narrow waters. They have been letting their engines tear away at full speed, and the wash thrown out has been large enough to capsize a canoe. The regulations state that the speed of launches operating above Point Ellice bridge must not exceed six knots. Offenders are liable to fines and for repeated offences to imprisonment.

### Canoes Need Lights.

Canoeists who run up and down the Gorge waters without lights take upon themselves the risk of being rammed by other craft. Many of the canoes which have been out so far have not displayed lights. Many launches will be operating on the Victoria Arm this summer and paddlers will be advised if they take the precaution to see that they have a headlight before they set out.

Launches have experienced some difficulty in avoiding the many booms of logs stretching out from the mills in the upper harbor. At night the shadows become very conflicting, and it is hard to pick up the low-lying booms. Lights on the tails of the booms would be of great assistance and would prevent collisions and serious damage to craft, which may have the misfortune to pile up on them.

The police department may see fit to establish a light on the rocks off Deadman's Island. There is a red-painted can buoy moored there and it is visible during the day. If a light cannot be placed there, probably the buoy can be painted white, which would aid things materially.

## WIRELESS REPORTS

Point Grey.—Clear; N. W., light; 30.22; 47.

Cape Lazo.—Clear; N., light; 30.20; 40; sea smooth.

Tatoosh.—Clear; N. E., 5 miles; 30.25; 50; light swell. Out, 7 a. m., Congress; 7 a. m., E. Thompson; 7 a. m., S. S. Canada.

Pachena.—Clear; N.; 30.00; 48; sea smooth. Spoke S. S. Princess Maquinna leaving port Renfrew, 5.15 a. m., southbound.

Estevan.—Cloudy; calm; 30.10; 47; sea smooth. Spoke, 8.45 p. m., S. S. Empress of Japan, 8 p. m. position, 49.58 N., 121.14 W.; 3.30 a. m., S. S. Tamba Maru, 8 p. m., position 51.52 N., 156.52 W.; 8 p. m., S. S. Chicago Maru, position 52.38 N., 142.18 W.

Triangle.—Cloudy; S. W.; 30.38; 44; sea moderate. Spoke, 1 a. m., S. S. Prince Rupert, Queen Charlotte Sound, southbound; 3.50 a. m., S. S. Princess Esna, Milbank Sound, northbound.

Ikedo.—Overcast; S. E., 30.15; 52; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert.—Raining; S. E., light; 30.12; 54; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Humbolt, 3.40 a. m., Dixon's Entrance.

Dead Tree Point.—Clear; S. E.; 30.15; 52; sea smooth.

Alert Bay.—Cloudy; calm; 30.15; 48; sea smooth. Out, 5.50 a. m., S. S. Camosun, northbound.

Noon.

Point Grey.—Clear; N. W.; 30.15; 62.

Cape Lazo.—Clear; N. W.; 30.38; 65; sea smooth. Spoke S. S. Prince John off Cape Mudge, 11 a. m., northbound; S. S. Prince Rupert through Seymour Narrows, 11 a. m., southbound.

Tatoosh.—Clear; N. E., 10 miles; 30.22; 62; sea smooth.

Pachena.—Clear; calm; 30.00; 60; sea smooth.

Estevan.—Clear; W.; 30.05; 52; sea smooth.

Triangle.—Clear; calm; 30.35; 54; sea smooth.

Ikedo.—Overcast; calm; 30.10; 54; sea smooth.

Prince Rupert.—Cloudy; S. E., fresh; 30.22; 52; sea smooth. In, S. S. Chelohsin, 9 a. m., southbound; S. S. Prince George, 9 a. m., northbound.

Dead Tree Point.—Cloudy; S. E.; 30.09; 51; sea smooth.

Alert Bay.—Cloudy; N. W.; 30.20; 60; sea smooth. Spoke S. S. Camosun leaving Hardy Bay 10.20 a. m., northbound; S. S. Teas, Blunder Harbor, 10.10 a. m., southbound.

It is only the young that can receive much reward from men's praise; the old, when they are great, get too far beyond and above you to care what you think of them.—Ruskin.

## WOULD PUT WIRELESS ON ALL STEAMSHIPS

Capt. W. H. Whiteley Thinks It Should Be Compulsory for All Ships to Be Equipped

"With the facilities which we have at our disposal to-day an accident of the nature of that in which the Empress of Ireland and Storstad were involved, one would think, could have been avoided. If the Storstad had carried wireless telegraphy she could have communicated her course to the Empress of Ireland and the Empress in turn could have informed the master of the collier how she was steering. I think that wireless should be used when vessels are crossing or meeting head-on in a fog to tell the direction of the course."

This statement was made this morning by Capt. W. H. Whiteley, one of the Victoria pilots, who sailed on the St. Lawrence for a number of years before coming to this coast. The captain is a strong advocate of the installation of wireless on all vessels, and he considers Marconi's invention the greatest aid to safe navigation and preservation of life at sea if properly used.

"According to the rule of the road you are not allowed to give in a fog, without a vessel is visible, a passing signal as to how you are directing your course," continued the captain. "By the use of wireless this could be overcome. The master of a ship could inform a vessel, whose whistle he heard but could not see, whether he was directing his course to starboard or to port. The rule of the road says that you must navigate your ship with caution in a fog, but when you first hear a whistle you cannot tell whether the ship is crossing your bows, approaching head-on or steaming with you."

"The regulations governing wireless discriminate against ships. Take, for instance, a tramp carrying 48 men. She does not have to carry wireless. But if another tramp happens to carry 51 men she is compelled to have wireless. It should be compulsory for all ships going out of sight of land to

carry wireless for the safety of their own crews and also for the safety of other ships which might be nearby," the captain continued.

"In navigating the St. Lawrence river, owing to the strong currents, a man must have steering way on his ship, whether he is going with the tide or against it. If the Storstad had carried wireless and had heard the Empress whistle, as she no doubt did, she could have called the passenger ship and communicated her course to her."

"The recent Newfoundland disaster on the Atlantic coast, which we have just got over, goes to emphasize the use of wireless at sea. There were eight vessels in the vicinity of the Newfoundland all equipped with wireless, she being the only exception. When the crew of the Newfoundland did not turn up at nightfall the captain thought the men were on board the Stefano. The captain of the Stefano thought they were aboard their own ships. They were only eight miles apart, but as the Newfoundland did not have wireless she could not communicate with the Stefano. The consequence was that 77 men were frozen to death that night and the next day and 25 were badly frozen. That was all owing to the Newfoundland having no wireless," Capt. Whiteley concluded.

### SOPHIA OUT OF DOCK.

The C. P. R. steamer Princess Sophia was floated out of drydock this morning after having her wheel repaired.

(See also page 14.)

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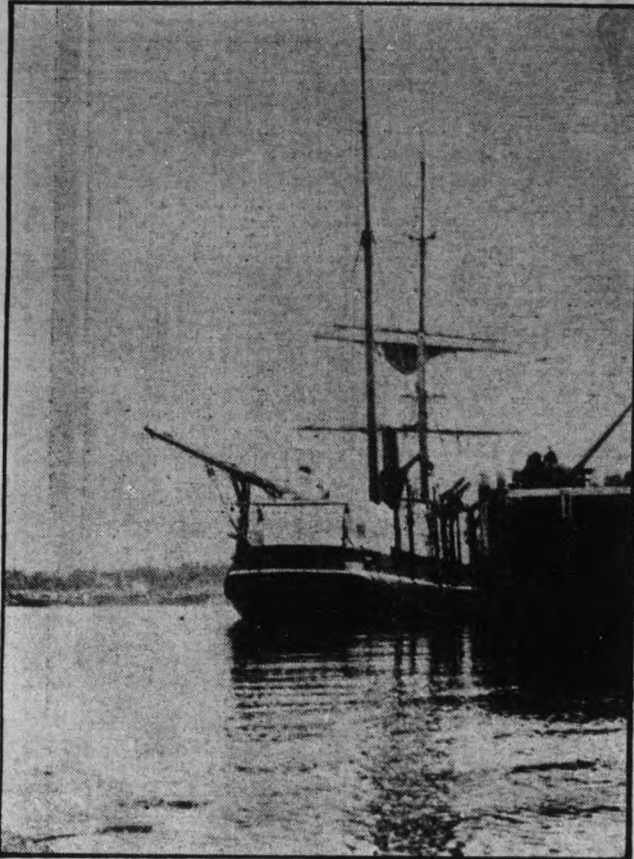
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# KARLUK Ice-Crushed, Lies on Bottom in Polar Waters

## LOST IN POLAR SEAS



WHALER KARLUK

Which found her last resting place at the bottom of the sea off Herald Island last January. In the above photograph she is shown lying along the naval dock yard wharf at Esquimalt, from which point she sailed on her fateful voyage.

## KARLUK LOST IN ICE-BOUND SEAS

Brave Little Whaler Which Sailed From Victoria Sank in January

## CREW AND SCIENTISTS MAROONED ON ISLAND

Whaler Herman Now Making Headway Towards Rescue; Account of Expedition

Seemingly ill-fated since its inception, the Canadian Arctic exploration expedition in command of Dr. Vilhjalmur Stefansson and Dr. R. M. Anderson, received its greatest blow in the early days of the present year, when the whaler Karluk which sailed from Victoria on June 17 of last year, went down to its last bed in the Arctic ocean off Herald Island.

Word of this disaster was received by the Canadian government yesterday, together with tidings that the mem-

bers of the crew are all safe though marooned on Wrangel Island. Captain Robert Bartlett, master of the Karluk, in company with a few Eskimos, made his way across the fro-

## WITH THE LEADER



BERT MCCONNELL  
Secretary to V. Stefansson.

## EXPEDITION LEADER AND SAILING MASTER



Vilhjalmur Stefansson and Capt. Robert Bartlett (in straw hat) talking together at Victoria just prior to departure of Karluk.

sen land to North Cape, Siberia, and from thence overland to Whaler Bay, Siberia, where he was taken on board the whaler Herman, which carried him to St. Michael.

## Message From Rescuer.

A message was received at San Francisco yesterday from Captain Pederson, of the Herman, who telegraphed: "Brought Captain Bartlett from Siberian coast. Karluk wrecked near Herald Island last January. Crew camped Wrangel Island."

It is also known that the Herman will cross back to the Siberian coast, and following the coast, and following the coast, will break through the ice-packed straits in an endeavor to reach the marooned crew of the Karluk late next month.

If the rescue arrangements go well forward there is little fear for the ultimate safety of the brave members of the expedition who are there cut off from the rest of mankind by miles of ice-charged sea. When the ice closed in on them last January, the members

Bjarne Nansen, of Christiania, as assistant geologist. George Malloch, of Ottawa, chief geologist and topographer.

The remainder of the fifteen scientists are with the leader of the expedition or with Dr. R. M. Anderson at the southern quarters.

## Objects of Expedition.

The real object of the Stefansson expedition was to carry on the work begun in part by the Stefansson-Anderson expedition which was instrumental in bringing to the knowledge of scientific men the white Eskimos, with whom the name of Vilhjalmur Stefansson is always associated. Immediately on the return of the leader from his four and a half years in the Arctic, plans were set in preparation, and later the Canadian government, through its geological survey, made a proposition to the National Geographic society of Washington to take over the entire expedition and to provide a large fund for its support.

In personality and from training and experience, no man in Canada was better fitted for the work than Vil-

these still again the authority of science from his training as an ethnologist.

## Perfectly Equipped.

In all scientific matters the expedition which left Victoria in June of last year was perfectly equipped. It had the finest collection of scientific instruments, and one of the finest scientific staffs ever boasted by any expedition.

But from the first it seemed doomed to failure. The first disaster came late last year when Stefansson, his secretary, and Dr. D. Jenness, Burt M. Wilkins, of Montreal, two Eskimos and twelve dogs went ashore to get fresh meat near Point Barrow. They had been shooting for some time, and when they came back to the shore to go to their ship the Karluk had vanished. In their absence a land breeze had sprung up and the Karluk, jammed in the ice-floe, had been blown right out of sight of land.

Later, as the news from Captain Bartlett showed, the Karluk herself found the pack ice too strong for her sides, and she was crushed and sunk.

## WHERE SHIP SHOULD HAVE GONE



The above sketch map shows the route which was originally planned to be taken by the expedition. The dotted lines show the path which the sledges would have taken had the expedition proved successful, while the solid lines show the proposed ship route which would have been taken by the Karluk had not accident intervened.

of the crew, guessing what would happen, got their supplies, which comprise enough for three years, out on the ice along with the dog teams, and were able to reach land well equipped for the remainder of the long Arctic winter. It is well known that when the Karluk left here she was loaded with over two hundred tons of compressed supplies and these were augmented when the vessel reached Nome. Shortly afterwards the Karluk was crushed in the heavy ice and sank to the bottom. Such at least is what is gathered from the meagre messages which have so far drifted through.

Wrangel Island is known to bear animals which can be killed for food and the party is well stocked with arms and ammunition. The island is two hundred miles in a line from North Cape, and Whaler Bay is 225 miles southeast of North Cape.

## Men Marooned.

As far as can be ascertained the following members of the crew are now encamped on Wrangel Island:

- A. Anderson, mate.
- John Munroe, engineer.
- G. Braddy, fireman.
- T. Wiseman, fireman.
- Robert Templeman, steward.
- H. Williams, sailor.
- F. Maurer, sailor.
- J. Brady, sailor.
- Charles Barker, sailor.
- Archibald King, sailor.
- T. Morris, sailor.
- E. Chafe, cabin boy.

## Scientists on Wrangel.

Also the following scientists, all of world-wide reputation and many of them with long Arctic and Antarctic experience, are with the crew on Wrangel Island, the remainder of the scientists having gone ashore with Stefansson near Point Barrow, only to find the Karluk gone when they went back.

Henri Beuchat, anthropologist. Allister Forbes-Mackay, surgeon of the party.

halmur Stefansson, whose courage and control of untoward circumstances have been proved in the six years he had already put in on Arctic investigations, he also having shown executive ability and judgment in his plans

## SECOND IN COMMAND



DR. R. M. ANDERSON

Leader of the southern party, now encamped at Simpson Bay.

for effective organization. He had shown himself to be one to whom a vision can come with such allurements that he must follow. His leading through all obstacles and many years, goaded always to express the irresistible power within him in the accomplishment of that vision. To these qualities he adds the hardy characteristics of his northern ancestry, and to

## LEADER STEFANSSON; NOW AT PT. BARROW



Vilhjalmur Stefansson signing autograph books just prior to the sailing of the Karluk for the north from Victoria.

What will be the future of the expedition will be hard to guess. As far as appearances go, the whole expedition has come to an impasse and can go no further. Dr. Anderson may continue his anthropological research at Collinson Point, and Stefansson may work his way by sledge to the base he had at first designed to make, but the original route of the expedition as

shown on the map, accompanying, will of course have to be entirely abandoned.

## ON WRANGEL ISLAND



SECOND OFFICER ANDERSON

Who is now encamped with other members of the Karluk crew on Wrangel Island. The party has plenty of stores and ought to be in no danger until the arrival of a rescue party.

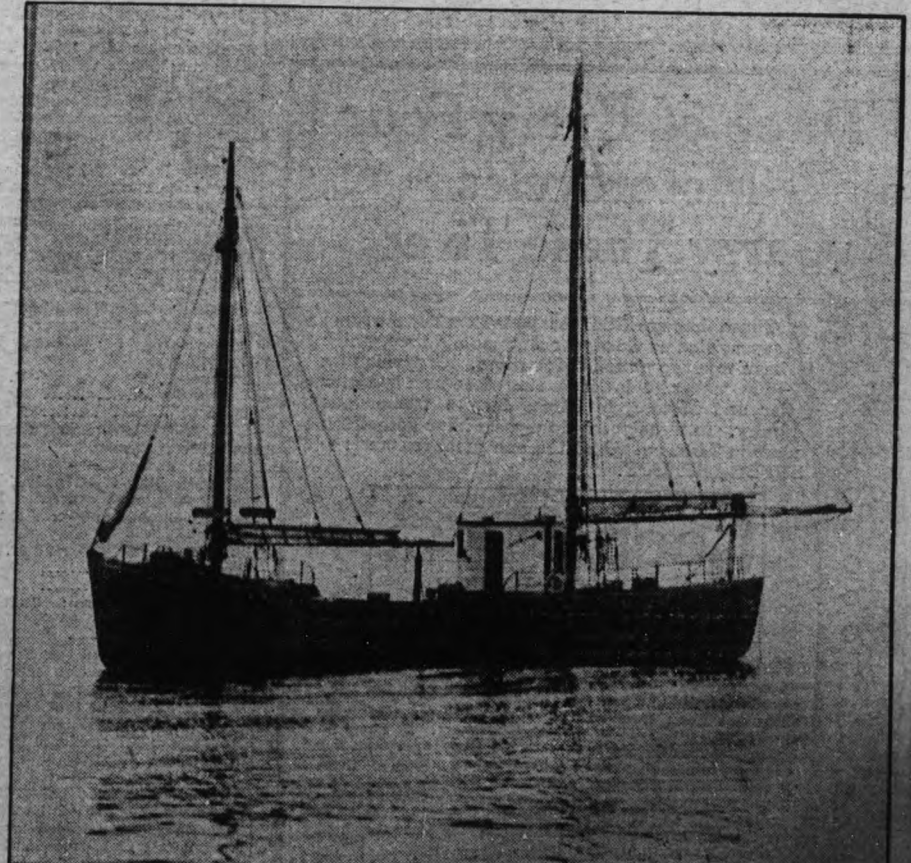
## NAVIGATING OFFICER



CAPTAIN ROBERT BARTLETT

Skipper of the Karluk, who on the sinking of the steamer, made his way across the ice to North Cape, Siberia, and then proceeded overland to Whaler Bay, Siberia. There he was taken on board the whaler Herman, which carried him to St. Michael, where he now is.

## ACCOMPANIED KARLUK TO NORTH



Alaska, the stout little power trading schooner, the second ship of the Canadian Arctic expedition. She joined the Karluk at Nome for the northern voyage and is standing the stress of wintering in the Arctic more happily than did the ill-fated Karluk. The Alaska is 45 ft. long with a beam of 17 feet, and she is so constructed that when she becomes jammed the ice raises her, the pressure of the frozen masses thus being defeated.



# SPORTING NEWS

## COAST LACROSSE STILL UNBEATEN

### LOCAL AMATEURS DEFEAT OAK BAY

Sidney Team to Play Here Tomorrow; Review of Mann Cup Series; Calgary Players' Fault Was Lack of Goal-Getting

It is hardly likely that Trustee Joe Lally, who is looking after the affairs of the Mann cup this season, will make any changes in the final result of the V. A. C.-Calgary series. The complete failure of the prairie champions to live up to their advance notices was a surprise to the coast club and the followers of lacrosse in this section of the Dominion are more than ever convinced that the coast lacrosse teams are invincible and will remain so for some years. The invading Calgary players showed the same fault that is characteristic of all eastern champions—failure to bore in for goals when in possession of the ball. Their defence worked hard enough, but the home was not getting the goals and with the defence men being chased to the side by Referee Spring for too liberal use of the wood, it was easy for the cupholders to roll up a big score.

First of all, that all-important factor in a championship lacrosse machine, the fielders, failed to show the same speed as the V. A. C. defenders, and it was right there that the cupholders started their winning tactics. The odd-man game was worked repeatedly.

and while Dan McLeod warned his associates of the dangerous results of letting their men roam free, the Calgary fielders simply did not come back with the V. A. C. rushes and the scoring was a matter of tossing the ball from off uncovered player to another. Boss Johnson, the Vancouver professional goal-tend, stated that the prairie team appeared to lack the first knowledge of goal-getting, which is passing the ball. It is true that many of the Calgary attacks were rendered fruitless simply because the Calgary home players handled the ball carelessly and a V. A. C. defence player would break through and intercept a pass.

Victoria's representative twelve defeated Oak Bay in a very interesting practice match last evening, the final score being 7 to 3. Neither club was at full strength. The local club will meet the fast Sidney team on Sunday morning in another practice game. Last evening's teams were:

Victoria: Whyte, Pottinger, Cotton, Okell, Johnson, Ross, McInnes, C. Baker, Mitchell, Petticrew, J. Baker. Oak Bays: Medridge, E. McDonald, Weaver, Martin, Pierce, Redgrave, Beasley, Dempster, Nobbs, Simpson, Humber.

The match Sunday morning will start at 10:30 o'clock. The Sidney team is as follows: Goal Simpson; point, Munroe; cover, O. Humber; 1st defence, Bains; 2nd defence, Pottinger; 2nd defence, McKay; centre, Norton; 3rd home, S. Humber; 2nd home, P. Humber; 1st home, Jenkins; outside, Coffey; inside, Bedford.

## ONLY THREE CLUBS AFTER CRICKET CUP

When the John Ross Robertson cricket trophy was won last season by the Winnipeg Wanderers it was generally believed that its location in the west would lead to a keen competition among the various clubs there for its possession this year.

For some reason or other, however, the western clubs have, with one solitary exception, declined to challenge for it. Whatever the reason may be, the Regina club is the only one which has sent in its entry, with the result that again this year only three clubs have challenged—Grace Church (Toronto), McGill (Montreal), and Regina (Sask.).

The cup trustees will shortly fix the dates upon which the various games are to be played, and drew to decide the order in which the clubs will engage.

Both Grace church and McGill are ready to go out west in quest of the cup and its accompanying championship honors, but should Regina be drawn to play the holders first, and be successful, then they would be required to play at Regina instead of at Winnipeg.

Assuming, for argument sake, that Regina should defeat the Wanderers, and that Grace church is drawn to play the second game, then, if the Toronto men should win, the final game would be played between McGill and Grace church at Toronto, or if McGill is drawn to play the second game, and should win, then Grace church will have to go to Montreal to play off the final match.

Very much depends upon the draw and cricketers will await the action of the trustees with some interest.

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## AFTER OLYMPIC GAMES.

Australia intends to make a bid for the Olympic games of 1920. The island continent has joined the International Athletic federation, which is more or less an Olympic body, and is now preparing to send a team of fifty men to the games at Berlin next year.

It is estimated that the team will cost \$50,000, and expense money will be supplied by state and federal government and by private subscription. No one will be sent unless he has a chance.

## CHANCE FOR REVENGE.

It only remains now for the British polo team to revenge itself for its defeat last year, and for Lipton to win the America's cup, and the Old Country will again take its place at the head of the nations from a sporting point of view. Oxford won from the pick of the American college runners, and the British golfers have demonstrated their superiority over their American brethren.

## BEING TREATED



ASHLEY POPE

Victoria's spit-ball pitcher, who is having his arm treated at Tacoma. Last season Pope was the star pitcher in the California State league.

## NARVESON FAILED

### TO HOLD BENGALS

Tigers Rallied in Eighth; Vancouver Breaks Losing Streak; Bees Hit the Ball

Al Narveson weakened in the eighth yesterday at Tacoma and the Tigers batted in enough runs to cop the fourth contest. It looked as if the Bees were going to make three in a row over the Tigerville clan, but the Swede lost his grip on the cork centre two laps from home, the Bengals winning 5 to 4. The Bees again hammered the ball right on the seam, amassing eleven hits, while Narveson held the Junglers to seven bingles. In the eighth, with Victoria bingling, Narveson pitched a gem, and Yoh, doubled, Butler clearing the sacks with a tremendous punch to the bleachers for the circuit.

It took Jones and McGinnity to hold down the Bees, the Iron man relieving the Northwestern league veteran in the sixth, when the Bees were again tramping around the sacks. Narveson twirled nicely in the pinches, but grooved one for Butler that spelled defeat. Narveson pulled out with a home run and a triple to his credit, while Wilhoit, Nye and Brooks grabbed off a couple of hits apiece. A defeat for the Tigers would have about pulled them out of fourth place, which they still hold by a few points.

The latest rumor with regard to the switch of Nick Williams to the Victoria club is that Bobby Coltrin, the peppery Portland insider, will be given charge of the Colts for the balance of the season. Coltrin is a crab of the Tealy Taymond type and ought to give the umpires a grand year of it.

In an effort to stall off the Federal league teams, Dugdale has signed up Pete Schneider for 1915. This may place that player under contract, but if he is drafted, or the Feds take a notion to offer Pete a sum that will tempt him to jump his contract, what good will the contract do Dugdale then?

Delmas is evidently starting to pile up a healthy batting average, now that the ownership of the club has been placed in good hands. Delmas should hit .300 in this league, while Wilhoit, Driscoll and Kelly are also pounding the ball hard.

Spokane, May 30.—Although the Indians outbait Vancouver, Vancouver won yesterday 3-1, by timely hitting in the pinches.

Score—  
R. H. E.  
Vancouver ..... 3 8 1  
Spokane ..... 1 11 1  
Batteries—Clark and Cheek; Stanley and Shea, Altman.

Seattle, May 30.—Timely hitting enabled Seattle to overcome Portland's lead yesterday and win the game 8 to 5.  
Score—  
R. H. E.  
Seattle ..... 8 9 2  
Portland ..... 5 11 2  
Gipe and Cadman; Callahan and Murray.

It is now reported that the Baltimore International franchise is to be transferred to some other city in the south. If so it will be the first big victory for the Feds who practically killed the attendance at International league games in Baltimore.

Philadelphia, May 30.—William Orr, substitute infielder of the Philadelphia Americans, was released to the Sacramento, Cal. club, from which club he was purchased by the Athletics two years ago.

Whatever the occupation of a man is, to it he should give his first and greatest attention.—Blackstone.

## AFTER CONTROL OF SOCCER LEAGUES

A. A. U. Trying Hard to Head Off D. F. A. Invasion of Coast; President Here

One of the most important figures in amateur athletics in the Dominion visited the coast this week in the person of President Johnson, head of the Amateur Athletic Union. President Johnson came here in the course of a trip that took him over the entire Dominion. He is sounding the strength of the Dominion Football association. The latter is making a big bid to secure a foothold in British Columbia, and judging from its work in Vancouver, the body are here to stay. The newly-formed British Columbia Football association is leaning towards the D. F. A., while Victoria joined this association with the understanding that it would follow the B. C. F. A. into the fold. If the latter move was sanctioned by the mainland clubs, the A. A. U. is working hard to prevent the D. F. A. entering the coast soccer leagues, but with the visit of the British cup holders as a bait, the D. F. A. is regarded as almost sure to secure the affiliation of the British Columbia Football association before the end of the summer.

Con. Jones, the Vancouver sport promoter, who is supposed to be financing the tour under the jurisdiction of the D. F. A., stated that he had received word from the club of the Canadian governing body that Blackburn Rovers and Sunderland were coming to this country. Jones had a letter from Wall two weeks ago which stated that the English cup finalists Burnley and Sunderland had been invited to tour Canada and the United States, and that they would likely accept.

Woolwich, in future is to be known as the Arsenal. Sounds warlike, doesn't it?

Burnley is one of the original members of the English league on its formation in 1888.

Gleghrist, of Motherwell, was "capped" at Glasgow university the other day, and is now a fully qualified medical man.

Belfast Celtic would not be averse to taking Willie Loney from Motherwell. Will he go?

Waddell's migration to Bradford will weaken Killie's intermediate line next season.

For the second season in succession, Reid, of Airdrie, has topped the goal scoring list.

Bradford is the second club Tom E. Mearns has piloted into the first division of the English league.

Both Lacey and Val Harris are prominent cricketers—in fact most of the Anglo-Irish players are—and the clubs look forward to their return.

## SPORTING GOSSIP OF THE DAY

White is now after a 20-round go with Ritchie.

It was quite a shock to Americans to learn that Ritchie's conqueror was a native of Liverpool.

Beacon Hills are picked as pennant-winners in the Junior league.

England's polo team has already started practising at Piping Rock.

Crum is in Seattle, waiting to hook on with one of the Union Association clubs.

This fellow Hines will be a big help to the Victoria hurling staff.

McHenry will get a final trial at Tacoma this week.

V. A. C. and Westminster clash on Saturday at Vancouver.

Driscoll looks a regular outfielder now.

Bayley appears to be making good in the south.

Washington has taken three straight from Detroit.

## GOLF CHAMPION.

Miss Cecil Leitch, the new British woman's golf champion, is only 23 years old. She is the best among a famous quintette of sisters who have figured in championship matches during the past few years. When she was only 17 years old she reached the semi-final in the championship tournament. When she was 19 she scored a sensational victory over Harold H. Hilton, the present American champion, defeating him by two holes up and one to play in a match of 72 holes over various courses. She won the title of woman's golf champion of France in 1912.

## DERBY HISTORY.

The classic event has only once been won by a reigning monarch—in 1869, when, amid scenes of extraordinary enthusiasm, Jones rode the late King Edward's Minnow to victory. This was his majesty's third Derby, for as Prince of Wales he won with Persimmon in 1896 and with Diamond Jubilee in 1900. Latterly the event has become more and more international. American owners have cast their eye on the "ribbon," and one American-bred colt, Troquois, captured the event. The late W. C. Whitney, won in 1901, but that was with the home-bred Volodyovski.

## BASEBALL

### NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
Tacoma, 5; Victoria, 4.  
Vancouver, 3; Spokane, 1.  
Seattle, 5; Portland, 3.  
Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Vancouver	23	14	.624
Seattle	23	16	.588
Spokane	20	25	.444
Tacoma	17	26	.396
Portland	16	26	.383
Victoria	13	30	.302

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At Brooklyn—New York, 1; Brooklyn, 0.  
At Philadelphia—Boston, 1; Philadelphia, 2.  
At Pittsburgh—Cincinnati, 3; Pittsburgh, 2.  
Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Pittsburgh	21	11	.656
New York	19	11	.633
Cincinnati	19	12	.611
Brooklyn	19	13	.591
Philadelphia	14	16	.467
St. Louis	14	17	.452
Boston	13	18	.421
Chicago	12	22	.353

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At New York—First game, Philadelphia, 6; New York, 2. Second game, Philadelphia, 3; New York, 6.  
At Chicago—First game, Washington, 1; Boston, 0. Second game, Washington, 5; Boston, 6.  
Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Philadelphia	20	12	.625
Washington	22	14	.611
St. Louis	19	15	.559
St. Louis	16	18	.471
Boston	16	18	.471
Chicago	15	18	.452
Cleveland	12	23	.343

### FEDERAL LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At Chicago—Indianapolis vs. Chicago postponed, rain.  
At St. Louis—Kansas City, 0; St. Louis, 5.  
At Buffalo—Brooklyn, 1; Buffalo, 5.  
At Baltimore—Pittsburgh, 7; Baltimore, 5.  
Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Baltimore	20	9	.689
St. Louis	17	16	.515
Detroit	13	15	.464
Indianapolis	13	15	.464
Chicago	15	16	.484
Kansas City	15	17	.468
Buffalo	14	16	.467
Pittsburgh	14	20	.412

### PACIFIC COAST LEAGUE

Yesterday's Results.  
At Portland—Los Angeles, 3; Portland, 0.  
At San Francisco—Sacramento, 14; San Francisco, 6.  
At Los Angeles—Oakland, 2; Venice, 0.  
Standing.

	Won.	Lost.	Pct.
Venice	20	21	.588
San Francisco	23	24	.579
Los Angeles	22	27	.538
Sacramento	26	28	.481
Portland	21	27	.438
Oakland	21	31	.404

Up to December 31 last, according to a board of agriculture report, a total of 132,622 acres had been acquired under the Small Holdings act, 125,971 acres having been purchased for £4,126,421, and 56,051 acres leased for rents aggregating £68,291 a year. Of this land 157,833 acres had been actually let, by county councils in 11,621 individual small holders, and 476 acres to 42 small holders; while the county Borough councils had let 994 acres to 200 individual tenants.

## MIDGET LEAGUE

### PLAYS GOOD BALL

Commercial and Junior Teams Clash at Beacon Hill; Amateur Notes

President M. L. Bissell, of the Midget league, is very optimistic over the prospects of his junior organization this summer. Mr. Bissell, who is the boys' secretary of the Y. M. C. A., states that the clubs are playing high-class ball and that the teams are very evenly matched. The schedule is as follows:  
May 30—Y. M. Juniors v. Victoria West.  
May 30—Cent. v. Y. M. Employed Boys.  
June 2—Y. M. Juniors v. Cent.  
June 2—Metropolitan v. Y. M. Employed Boys.  
June 2—Ath. v. Victoria West.  
June 6—Metropolitan v. Y. M. Juniors.  
June 6—Cent. v. Victoria West.  
June 6—Ath. v. Y. M. Employed Boys.  
June 6—Cent. v. Y. M. Employed Boys.  
June 6—Metropolitan v. Victoria West.  
June 13—Y. M. Juniors v. Ath.  
June 13—Cent. v. Y. M. Employed Boys.  
June 13—Vic. W. v. Y. M. Employed Boys.  
June 16—Y. M. Juniors v. Victoria West.  
June 16—Cent. v. Y. M. Employed Boys.  
June 16—Ath. v. Metropolitan.

That some arrangement must be made as to the allotment of the baseball diamonds at Beacon Hill was shown last evening when four teams endeavored to play on the upper field. The Printers and B. C. E. R. were scheduled for the opening of the Commercial league, but the White Sox and Beacon Hill junior teams would not clear the diamond, with the result that neither game was staged.

Wards took the lead in the Junior City league by defeating the Esquimaux nine, 14 to 4.

An officer of the Beacon Hill club denies the report that Walter Loripier is in any way connected with the Hills.

Managers of amateur baseball nines not entered in any league and wishing competition are requested to send in applications to William Vinal, 132 Hollywood Crescent, acting secretary of a new league now being formed. There will be no age or class limit.

In Watson and Wall the Printers have a pair of the fastest amateurs in the city.

Bissell's Giants are showing up well in practice games.

Ed. Steele, Gravin and McDougall, of the St. Francis club, are now with the Port Moody club.

Ray Bray, the ex-Capital infielder, is with the Bapcos in the Commercial league.

If Mr. Churchill, qua party politician, seeks to use his navy for his party, he will—according to my information—find himself up against a very hard brick wall. But qua first lord, he can rest assured that the navy is behind him regardless of politics.—Mr. Fred T. Jane.

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## NARVESON WEAKENS IN EIGHTH; TIGERS WON

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Narveson	5	0	2	1	2	1
Kelly	5	0	0	1	0	0
Driscoll	5	1	1	0	0	0
Wilhoit	4	0	2	2	0	0
Lamb	4	1	1	2	0	0
Abbott	4	1	0	4	0	0
Yoh	3	1	2	2	0	0
Butler	4	1	2	1	4	0
Harris	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jones	2	0	0	0	1	0
McGinnity	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fries	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	36	4	11	24	15	3

	A.B.	R.	H.	P.O.	A.	E.
Tacoma	3	0	1	12	0	0
West	4	1	2	0	0	0
McMullin	3	0	0	0	0	0
Lamb	4	1	1	2	0	0
Abbott	4	1	0	4	0	0
Yoh	3	1	2	2	0	0
Butler	4	1	2	1	4	0
Harris	2	0	0	0	0	0
Jones	2	0	0	0	1	0
McGinnity	1	0	0	0	0	0
Fries	1	0	0	0	0	0
Totals	32	7	7	27	14	0

\*Batted for Jones in 6th.

Score by innings:  
Victoria ..... 1 0 1 0 0 1 0 0 1-4  
Tacoma ..... 0 1 1 0 0 0 0 3-5  
Summary: Stolen bases—Millon (3), Abbott, Yoh, Nye, Wilhoit. Double plays—Abbott to McMullin to Yoh, Two bases hit—Wilhoit, Brooks, Hoffman, Lamb, Neighbors, Yoh. Three-base hits—Driscoll, Narveson. Home runs—Narveson, Butler. Sacrifices—Harris, Narveson. Pitchers' summary—3 runs, 9 hits off Jones in 7 innings. Bases on balls—Off McGinnity, 2; off Narveson, 2. Struck out—By Jones, 2. HIT by pitched ball—McMullin. Balk—Narveson. Time of game—1:25. Umpires—Wright and Burnside.

## TRIAL DATES ARE FIXED.

Boston, May 30.—The trial dates for the selection of an American sander yacht team for the third international series in Germany were fixed for August 24, and subsequent days, with Marblehead as the seat of the contest. The races will be sailed at Kiel in June, 1915.

Every man is a liar till he belongs to the same side as ourselves in politics.—Sir Herbert Tree.



# LIST OF SURVIVORS

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T. Romanich, Jno. Sale, H. Sanderson, Mero Sanooni, Albert Smith, R. P. Spooner, W. Schalkalida, Shediak, A. R. Smart, A. Sobly, M. Swarnstone, B. Sealsen, J. Sconi, B. Sunder, Allen Taylor, N. Thalle, O. Totin, Y. Tatti, M. Tuckesh, A. Talcobkka, T. Vainaki, T. Vanlanki, Varvillid, Mrs. Hilda Valky, A. Ventre, A. Walker, Jos. Williams, J. Fowler, W. Foss, Graywhit, J. Cragewitz, Mrs. Green, W. A. Green, Martin Gill, D. Hamalaine, A. Hillier, Dr. Hunt, U. Heikis, K. Joli, Y. Kantoalaki, A. Kianont, Adam Kokinkach, Kaloyutala, M. Kutchen, J. Artin, M. Keezak, Mrs. Kirthley, Kosehries, A. Krahehenky, Miss F. Kruse, Leorwell, H. Lawler, Miss A. Lee, J. K. Lenaly, L. Lias, Miss Martha Linquist, G. Maguire, Miss P. Malesch, W. H. Measure, E. Minanch, Munteau, H. Moses, Jno. Murphy, M. Moeseruk, Y. Oslender, Geo. Pott, F. Pugmire, Pykarras, Jack Rubenstein, K. Rautals, Luren, J. Maguire, D. McAmmond, F. W. Nelson, S. Missila, P. Moore, Musyehuk, Murnison, F. Nornecky, Julien Patrick, W. Pasolkowdis, E. Pykara, Wm. T. Quinn, Carl Bandle.

# LIST OF PASSENGERS IN THE THIRD CLASS

The following is the list of third-class passengers on the Empress of Ireland: Chas. Reid, Paris, Ont.; Carl Tamubace, Olaf Anderson, Whitewood, Sask.; Nels Larson, C. J. Vequest, Omaha; F. Roman, Detroit; Elizabeth Kitley, Lethbridge; Eric J. Enckson, Rossland, B. C.; Feder Sordali, Bellingham; Vels Erikson, Bellingham; Jacob Tutu, Wakefield; Bava Churcha, Gary Aust, Andrew Johnson, Minneapolis; F. Moorehouse, Caledonia; John Linquist, Shellbrook; Monto Linquist, Shellbrook; Sidney Mitchell, Los Angeles; Aleda Johnson, Chicago; Man J. Rorsh, Chicago; Kalle Vuta, Vegunne; Mrs. Peter Matsen, Miss Lillie Johnson, Minneapolis; Janos Topla, George Parkas, Cincinnati; Vas Jakse, Mile Jakse, Tomo Uthenkore, Kansas City; T. F. Freeman, Banff; Llesia Tampinen, Calumet; J. Thocien, Medicine Hat; Dan. I. Tally, Detroit; Anthony Erickson, Chicago; Frank Gosscheen, Milwaukee; Mrs. Jos. Durrant, Jas. Duran, Owen Sound; Theodore Bartoch, Christian Bartoch, Botha, Alberta; Mrs. M. Spoones, Mrs. Spoones, Ralph Spoones, A. Patterson, F. Glover, H. E. Carter, W. G. Brown, Vancouver; Alfred Ryan, Mrs. Ryan, Ottawa; Henry I. Cymil, Mark May, Ottawa; Miss C. Bryan, Ot-

tawa; Chas. Warwick, Spokane; Metro Petros, Sutherland; Matti Lamln, Marquette; J. Klemen, Cincinnati; Justav Olson, Racine; D. Twarkkaski, L. Scorski, A. Evans, Johanne Gard, Selark, Chicago; Jos. Cresswell, Fanny Cresswell, Wm. J. Giles, Emma Hamner, D. Clansen, Lethbridge; A. Kruchinsky, Webbwood; Miss E. Almsworth, Maude Almsworth, Jack Almsworth, Eric Almsworth, Cleveland; R. Smedberg, E. Smedberg, Port Arthur; Antoine Stathara, Frantz Ruhetes, Montreal; Francis Monte, Winnipeg; Broncho Jules, Springhill; Jean Dreha, Detroit; John Whikula, Detroit; J. Rula Jovits, Millar Jovits, Cincinnati; Johann Schvans, John Albers, Maywood, Wajerck, K. Zenck, Tabeleo, Ohio; Eliza Dolx, Magnus Liver, Mrs. Liver, Johna Lisen, Anton Larson, Aboln Anderson, Chas. Swan, Josephine F. Liffet, A. Carlson, John Guataboon, Nuf Johnson, John Angostrom, Wm. Forstrom, Mrs. Forstrom, Hilda Forstrom, Minneapolis; B. M. Swanson, Maple Creek, Ont.; Katherine Reiser, Oxbow, Sask.; John Atkinson, Joseph Turner, Calgary; Horace Worrall, Prince Albert; Geo. Dransfield, Saskatoon, Sask.; Hars Love, Anna Love, Rena Love, Allek Love, Clara Love, Chicago; Emil Tertens, Victor Brock, Victoria, B.C.; Jacobus Bonne, Moline, Ill.; Jas. H. McVeigar, Mes-sunes, Mich.; Tamja Bergman, Reino Bergman, Toni Kalviastad, Pauline Kalviastad, Alvi Kalviastad, Maithi Kalviastad, Ironwood, Mich.; Hilis Forre, Ishpening, Mich.; John Nivala, Duluth, Minn.; Lizzie Nivala, Roy Nivala, Anfole Vagre, Adel Vagre, Ane-siga Vagre, Luigi Vagre, Ameriga Vagre, Louisa Holme, Tome Luigi Maz-zareno, Befaro, Mich.; Tarst, Irola Elis-gust, Waldo Precinlti, Paolo Morelli, Arthon Beruelne, Francisco Dellimorti, David Palmi, John Ugolini, Yazaxino Brendi, Lorenzo Piermaltel, Luigi Min-ardo, Dominico Pierpoli, Tanti Bui-lener, Josig Louisa, John Gregorich, Ambrose Turkich, Vich Godisa, J. Kongar, V. Kenhart, M. Lupima, C. Maruini, G. Pompey, S. Sagrafors, C. Paccaretti, J. Buccaretti, Egtillo Brago, Caroline Brago, Josephine Brago, Nel-tor Sholle, Sofia Sholle, R. Hoskaven, I. Priaki, A. Rosakka, Mrs. S. Markula, Anno Markkula, Point Markkula, Arno Markkula, Eero Markkula, Mary Hak-ala, Negaunee, Mich.; Mrs. White, Jessie White, Guelph; Simo Yilsavae, Iwon Layesle, Dame Malobroa, S. Mek-torsky, Steve Masie, Detroit; Steve Sheddock, Danville; Miss Harvey, Mrs. Dutton, Windsor; Joseph Britton, St. Thomas; Allan Taberne, Stratford; Wasil Iregonesuk, Ottawa; Aug. Blom-guist, Mrs. Blomguist, Fred Blomguist, Erick Blomguist, Winnipeg; M. J. Buck, Lloydminster; Mary Cox, Winni-peg; Goldwards Ritro, Rusk Browis-dew, Mrs. Stone, Mrs. A. Kervin, In-fant Kervin, Quebec; Chas. Boardman, Mrs. Boardman, W. Prince, Mrs.

# ALL BUT TWENTY-TWO IN SALVATION ARMY PARTY WERE DROWNED

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hand, upheld him when his last cuneces of strength were being drain-ed. He was giving up from sheer physical exhaustion when she held up his head and certainly saved his life. A noble pair, worthy of each other."

Tales of other heroic rescues and shuddering accounts of their own mis-haps and fight for life in the swirling St. Lawrence were told by the sur-vivors who arrived at Viger station.

With a blanket thrown round her shoulders, her eyes lit with the wild excitement of the night of horror, Miss Alice Bates, one of the young women Salvationists who was saved, recounted her desperate struggles. She said: "I thought we had struck an ice-berg when I heard the fearful grind-ing of the shock in the boats," she said. "With a cry to the girls who were with me I stumbled out of the narrow berth room and groped up to the deck. Here was chaos. The ship was listing. Every step I took to the uppermost part of the deck I seemed to be slipping back into that mil-lion stream of water and falling bodies. Finally I gained the rail, and with a prayer in my heart, I jumped into the blackness."

The water surged over my head. I went down, I could not swim a stroke, but I remembered that you should keep air in your lungs and as I sunk I clenched my jaws determined to stay with the battle as long as strength lasted. After long periods of struggle and fainting and renewed struggle I saw a man not far off swimming with a life belt. I forgot to tell you this. I fastened the belt around my waist when I jumped. I reached my hand towards the hope of rescue, the man's belt. I grasped it. Then I saw how the man made the swimming motions like a frog. I tried to do the same. I knew this was the chance for life. Then when my energy was ebbing to the last I heard a faint cry, far off to my back. Instinctively I turned

round, there was a cluster of people. It was a lifeboat. The next few moments are indistinct in my memory. Some one lifting me up. We got aboard the Storstad.

Staff-Captain McAmmond said: "I clung to the taffrail and hung over the vessel's side. As she sunk I was drag-ged down into the water, but was im-mediately forced up again. I managed to swim clear and succeeded in reach-ing an overturned lifeboat. There were several such. A man was already cling-ing to the boat and he helped me to get a firm hold."

"We floated along with the boat until we reached another. Holding to this we found a member of the crew. It was a collapsible, and under his instructions we were able to get it righted, and use the oars. We rowed about for some time under the man's instructions and picked several people from the water. Finally he said we had better go; we can't save any more. It was terribly cold in the water. Some of the people we assisted were so numbed that it was only with the greatest difficulty we succeeded in saving them."

Winnipeg, May 30.—The Canadian Pacific railway announced to-day that the company will carry free all per-sonal messages and cablegrams per-taining to the Empress disaster.

Edmonton, May 30.—Edmonton pas-sengers who sailed on the Empress of Ireland in the second class: Miss M. Priestly and Miss Alice Priestly; third class, Robt. Spoor, Mrs. Margaret Spoor, Miss L. Varney, Miss Varney, Mrs. Lina Bronken, Ella Bronken, child, Mrs. Margaret Stevens and son, T. U. Scott, Mrs. Margaret Scott and child, and Henry Kerney.

Port Arthur, Ont., May 30.—Port Ar-thur was represented on the Empress of Ireland by R. Smedberg and his ten-year-old son on their journey for a three months' visit in Finland. Mr. Smedberg is prominent among the Fin-landers, being a justice of the peace and a real estate and insurance man.

Bellingham, Wash., May 30.—Nels Erickson and Peder Bjordal, of Bel-lingham, were on board the ill-fated Empress of Ireland which was sunk yesterday in the Gulf of St. Law-rence. Erickson was booked first-class for Bergen, Norway, and Bjor-dal for Gotheburg, Sweden.

Prince Albert, Sask., May 30.—Miss Maude Atkin, niece of Chief of Police Naby, on board Empress of Ireland.

Ledbridge, May 29.—Passengers on Empress: Joseph Cresswell and wife, Fanny Cresswell, William J. Giles, Emma Hammer, for London; David Clauson, all third class.

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## CAPE COATS POPULAR BASQUES MODERNIZED

Plaids in Taffeta and Surah and Plaid Velvets Give Smart Note

New York, May 23.—With the ticking of fashion's clock the pendulum swings back and forth, counting out cycles of style, each one taking people back along the same old paths their grandmothers trod.

At the present time there seems to be three distinct circles striving to weave themselves in fashion's web, and to become predominant. One includes the director's period and its influence is largely with the tailored suits of the day; the second shows the crinolines of the early 40's and is reflected in the summer frocks; the third is to bring back the basque and polonaise effects of the 80's, and will probably be more in evidence in the autumn.

In the first illustration is shown a frock of this latter character, modernized to suit the fashionable figure. With a bustle instead of a sash, and



With a little more bustle and a smaller waist, this gown might have been worn by the mothers of the present-day generation in their youth

a smaller waist, it might well have fitted mothers of the present generation in their gay and happy youth. The skirt worn with this waist has the smart long tunic over a tight and narrow underskirt, a tightness most unlike the tight skirts worn under these same basques in other days.

Poplin seems to be a favored material for this style of a frock, whether in wool or silk, striped or plain, and takes the present generation around another cycle, which includes the time of Charlotte Bronte and her heroines. In this frock is also shown a tendency to fit the figure more closely, a thing ignored in the last year, and the corset manufacturers are coming to their own again.

In the second illustration is shown the new and practical cape coat, combined with that ever-striking and handsome Scotch plaid. The body and sleeve of this black satin coat are in one, with a seam down the full and godet back. The yoke is extended into straps which cross over the chest, circle the body and cross again in the back, ending and fastening in the front below the waist. The skirt has a long pleated tunic of plaid surah silk, with a narrow underskirt of black satin.

Speaking of plaid, it is interesting to learn that Parisiennes have gone mad on the subject; they are not content with the "hazy-mazy" plaids which have been worn all winter, in serge and similar materials, but wear the plaids in bright and glaring colors, in reds and greens, yellows and blues.

The cloth dresses for afternoon, which are very much trimmed with taffeta silk, often have tunics of plaid, edged with silk ruffles or pleatings, while the sleeves of silk, in plaid and three-quarter length, are likewise finished with ruffles, or pleatings, or silk. Pique or silk vests, with large rolling collars, are being worn, buttoned down the front with ball-shaped buttons of the same material. Crêponne, with a white or cream ground, and high-colored flowers, is also used for vests, collars and cuffs, while most effective is the woolen embroidery used to embellish the smartest vests and waistcoats of crash and coarse white linen.

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worn over cotton dresses, a fancy which is as attractive as it is practical.

Velvet and many velvet-like textures are used a great deal this season. A touch is introduced here and there to enrich a gown of light and airy texture, as the collar of a cape, or perhaps only in the flowers which trim a charming garden hat. This contrast is a delightful fancy which the French have employed with their usual artistic grace and skill.

Another adornment to summer gowns are the new maline and net ruffs. Velvet, ending in an ornament in front, usually forms the centre of these thickly box-pleated ruffles. Different colors are used besides black, and soft shades of rose, and blue, rich geranium



The cape coat and pleated tunics are among the season's newest styles

pink and the wonderful tango yellow, or whatever tones are of color in one's frock may easily be combined into a neck ruche.

Occasionally a dainty nosegay of field flowers is nestled at either end of the ruff, so that when it is closed, if closed it is, they form a charming bit of color at the throat.

These ruffs occasionally lengthen into boas, but require to be worn with care. The way in which the ruff is placed around the neck, well done, gives cachet to the costume; if carelessly worn, the whole effect is lost. A costume may be perfect in itself, but the careless adjustment of an accessory may be its ruin.

Owing to the difficulty of a becoming line at the neck, the veils will be worn short, reaching just above the lips. The object is to avoid the ugly line about the neck, which the low collar makes inevitable. In Paris no veils are worn,

provided the hair is so arranged that it does not fly. Usually an invisible hair net accomplishes this result.

The latest toque is a round close-fitting shape, with straight tall wings placed immediately at the front and at the back of the shape. These hats take their name, "Valkyrie," from the Wagnerian maidens, whose helmets they resemble.

The hats and toques are brimless and tend toward a round crown that fits well down on to the head, with stiff up-standing wings, usually in black, directly in front. Often a mass of small flowers cover thickly the toque, relieved only by a high, fine feather. White and purple violets are most successful when used in this way.

Toques, both white and black, will be in great favor. If white straw forms the crown, then white wings, black wings or ears of black velvet are the preferred trimming. One of the latest millinery creations is a small toque composed of small black ostrich plumes. These form the entire low crown, apparently held in place by the band of silk ribbon, which is adorned with flat bows of the same ribbon, front and back.

With hot weather will be seen smart leghorns that look large, but that are no larger than necessary to give a garden effect and to be becoming in that fashion possibly only with leghorn shapes. These are garlanded with roses and at times lined with velvet.

The word comes from Paris that no sleeves are worn for the evening or dance frocks. The low-cut bodice narrows over the shoulder, showing the entire upper arm. Often the sleeve is like a bracelet of sheer tulle or of jewels, interlaced. The effect, however, is open, and no sleeve in the real sense of the word is used.

The majority of these frocks are very low cut in the back, with the front often held in place by jeweled chains, in the way of the usual fastening of a child's bib. However, the line of the neck in front is diverse, often it is pointed, coming in a straight line from the top of the shoulder to the centre of the breast, square-cut or round like the Greek, with a use of tulle that gives an appearance of nothingness to the bodice itself.

## SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.

S. W. Neill, of Detroit, is registered at the Empress hotel.

C. S. Malcolm, of Winnipeg, is staying at the Empress hotel.

Edwin G. Smith, of Duncan, is staying at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. B. C. Fraser, of Bamfield, is a guest at the Empress hotel.

John F. Rittenhouse, of New York, is registered at the Empress hotel.

Robert Cameron is among the guests at the Strathcona hotel from Seattle.

Miss B. A. Levy is staying at the Ritz hotel while here from Vancouver.

H. Payne is staying at the Ritz hotel while in the city from Saturna Island.

Fred Stone registered at the Dominion hotel this morning from Cranston.

S. N. Smith is visiting the city from Toronto. He is a guest at the Ritz hotel.

B. W. Barnett is among the Vancouver people registered at the St. James hotel.

R. S. Whitney is staying at the Strathcona hotel while here from Nanaimo.

R. H. Way is visiting the city from Hillbank. He is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

F. G. Brakspear is a Duncan visitor in the capital. He is registered at the Ritz hotel.

W. Peterson, of Tacoma, is in the city for a few days. He is staying at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. M. L. Hill is a Calgary visitor in the city at present. She is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

T. R. Naneanow, of Calgary, is staying at the Empress hotel while in the city for a short stay.

W. H. Nelson, of Detroit, is in the city on a short visit. He is a guest at the Empress hotel.

M. Howard came to the capital from Cobble Hill yesterday and registered at the St. James hotel.

W. G. Eussell is a Tacoma visitor in the city at present. He is registered at the St. James hotel.

Miss E. M. Williams, of the Jubilee hospital staff, is visiting Mrs. M. A. Wyld, Shawinigan Lake.

W. H. Matthews, of Toronto, arrived in the city this morning and registered at the Empress hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. A. M. Dann are Port Angeles visitors in the city. They are guests at the St. James hotel.

Mrs. McTavish, of Heywood avenue, is entertaining Mrs. Eugene Fuller, of New York, and her daughter.

W. E. Naneanow, of Calgary, arrived in the city this morning and registered at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. S. T. P. Christian came to the city from Nanaimo yesterday and registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. S. Porter, of Regina, arrived in the city this morning. They are registered at the Empress hotel.

William Lambe, of Victoria, who left for a trip to the Old Country a few days ago, sailed on the S. S. Virginian

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and was consequently not a passenger on the ill-fated Empress of Ireland, as many of his friends thought.

Mr. and Mrs. A. E. Patterson are in the city from Seattle for a few days. They are guests at the Empress hotel.

M. Howe is a guest at the St. James hotel from Seattle. Mr. Howe expects to come to Victoria to reside about June 15.

Mr. and Mrs. J. E. Stott are registered at the St. James hotel from Liverpool. They intend to stay in Victoria for a week.

Misses Bertha Williams and Leone Sherman, of Seattle, are guests at the Dominion hotel, having arrived in town this morning.

Mrs. F. H. Mayhew, "Glenwood," Gorge road, will not receive on Monday, but will receive as usual on the first Monday in June.

Alderman Cuthbert left for the prairies last evening, intending to make a week's business trip to Calgary and other points.

Mrs. R. A. Bolt and her three children, of Peking, came in on the R. M. S. Empress of Russia yesterday and are staying at the Dominion hotel.

C. H. Stuart Wade, publicity commissioner of the Palace Westminster, arrived in the city this morning and is staying at the Dominion hotel.

P. C. Hammerman is in the city from Chicago and is staying at the St. James hotel. He has just returned from a tour of the island with a party.

H. F. Smith, of San Jose, Cal., was in the city yesterday to meet friends on the R. M. S. Empress of Russia and registered at the Dominion hotel.

Mrs. Newton and her five children arrived in Victoria on the R. M. S. Empress of Russia yesterday and registered at the Dominion hotel from Holkow, China.

Mr. and Mrs. T. H. Smith, of Winnipeg, announce the engagement of their daughter Helen Louise to Albert J. Maynard, of this city. The wedding is to take place at the end of June.

Dr. W. H. McIntyre, son of H. R. McIntyre, of Stanley avenue, has returned from Winnipeg after graduating with honors from the Manitoba medical college, and has been appointed house surgeon in the Provincial Royal Jubilee hospital.

The engagement is announced by Mrs. B. Humphreys, of San Francisco, of her grand-daughter, Miss Ellen Grace Davis, daughter of the late Chief Justice Theodore Davis, of British Columbia, and Harry Rene Gulchard, son of ex-State Senator Gulchard, of Oakland. The wedding is to take place in June at St. Mary's cathedral, San Francisco, followed by a breakfast at the Palace hotel, after which the young couple will leave for their honeymoon in British Columbia. The bridegroom-to-be is a graduate of St. Mary's college.



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## TOO MANY CLUSTER LIGHTS

**Aldermen Consider that Money is Wasted in Having Too Many Standards.**

It was declared at the meeting of the streets committee yesterday afternoon that there are too many lights in the streets for the requirements of the city, that money has been needlessly wasted in the installation of cluster lights on streets where they are not necessary, and that for the future there will have to be more economy exercised.

This was the opinion of all the members of the council, expressed in the course of a debate on a recommendation of the city engineer relative to the installation of cluster lighting on the Gorge road.

Ald. McNeill came out flat against the expense which had taken place in the cluster-lighting installations of the past couple of years. There were twice too many standards, he said, put in on the streets, and this was shown every night when half the lights were cut off. There were then left enough adequately to light the streets on which they were, proving that there had been a terrible waste of power and of money in the initial installation.

Mayor Stewart repeated what had been stated to him by visitors to the city, that there were far too many lights, and a great waste of power by having the standards too close together.

It is, of course, impossible to do anything on the streets where the cluster lights are now, but it was decided that in any future additions to the system the number of standards should be greatly reduced.

Ald. Cuthbert agreed that the cost of putting in the standards was too high owing to the excessive number of standards and globes, but he contended that the cost of maintenance is less than in any other city in the Dominion.

As for the Gorge road proposal, it was decided that on account of the lack of funds to carry out the lighting installation, this will not be done at present, but the by-law will be closed up. If it is desired to put in the system later the conduits can be laid in the boulevard.

## WOULD LAY SECOND TRACK

**B. C. Electric Makes Application in Regard to Narrow Portion of Esquimalt Road.**

The question of tramway tracks on the narrow portion of Esquimalt road, just east of Lime street, came up before the streets committee yesterday afternoon on an application from the company for permission to lay a second track between Dundas street and Catherine street. This is in connection with the company's plans for the double-tracking of its Esquimalt line from Point Ellice bridge to the terminus in the village.

City Engineer explained to the committee that when two tracks were laid on this section of the road it would leave a width of only nine feet available for vehicular traffic. An additional three feet would be obtained,

he said, by moving back some telephone poles, but even then the bulk of the traffic passing that point would be thrown on the tracks.

This particular portion of the roadway has been a source of worry to the council for a few years past. There is considerable doubt as to whether it is a highway at all. When the widening scheme was under discussion two or three years ago that question came up, and has never been settled, the council simply dropping the scheme so far as it related to the portion in doubt.

When the new Johnson street bridge is built traffic will flow along Lime street and out on Esquimalt road at a point west of the portion in question, and the street car tracks will follow the same route. Anything that is done now will, therefore, be of a more or less temporary nature. The application was referred to a small sub-committee and the engineer to report.

## PLANS FOR NEW BRIDGE

**Everything Ready for Signing of Agreement as Soon as Department's Engineer Approves Plans.**

There was a brief meeting of the Johnson street bridge committee yesterday afternoon, and it was announced by the chairman, Ald. Cuthbert, at the close that nothing is left now but the completion of the details of the plans, and these will be taken up at once by the city engineer with the government engineer.

The agreement is drafted and ready for signature by the city, the government, the C. P. R. and the B. C. Electric Railway company as soon as the plans can be attached. This cannot be done until they are examined, approved and signed by the chief engineer of the provincial railway department, F. C. Gamble, who has been out of the city on official business for the past couple of weeks.

As soon as the complete plans are drawn up and the estimates of cost are available, the council will be in a position to submit the matter to the ratepayers. Ald. Cuthbert says it is the intention to call for tenders from bridge-builders for a bascule trunnion bridge, leaving them free to tender on any form of that type, and the council will then be in a position to judge what one of these is the best for adoption here.

Mrs. Putton-Ayres had picked up a few French phrases which she worked into her talk on every possible occasion. Entering the butcher's shop one day she inquired if he had any "bon-vivant." "Bonned what, ma'am?" asked the butcher, puzzled. "Bonvivant," she repeated. "That's the French for good liver, you know."

There was a man who grumbled at everything. He wasn't satisfied even when they tried him for murder and sentenced him to be hanged. He grumbled about his cell by day and about his mattress by night, and on the morning fixed for his execution he grumbled about the way his breakfast had been prepared. On the scaffold at the final moments he grumbled too. "Say, guv'nor," he said, "this plank don't seem any too safe to me."

## PAVING PROBLEMS OCCUPY COMMITTEE

**Shortage of Funds Makes It Impossible to Grant All Requests of Owners**

It was made quite clear to several owners of property by the streets committee yesterday that there are no funds available for the laying of permanent pavements on streets which have not yet been taken up, no matter how great the need.

Madison street is being built up with a good class of residences, but according to the description of owners yesterday it is anything but passable. In case of a fire, they say, it would be impossible to bring the apparatus withing reach of the spot and there would be great danger of not only the house where the fire started, but of many others before it could be got under.

The members of the committee expressed their sense of the necessity for the works asked for by the people on that street, but it was pointed out to them that in the absence of funds it is out of the question to undertake the paving of the thoroughfare. It was agreed, however, that something should be done to make the roadway passable, and the hope was held out that this would be possible this year.

In two cases it was decided to repair roadways which it was originally intended to pave, and if the funds can be raised these will be macadamized. The two streets are Hillside avenue, from Cedar Hill road to the city limits, and Flagstaff street, from Blanshard avenue to Cook street. For an eighteen-foot roadway in the former case the engineer estimates that the work can be done for \$2,000, and for a fifteen-foot roadway in the latter case the cost will be \$700. The finance committee was asked to take up the matter on Monday and consider whether the money can be appropriated.

A protest from William Oilphant, through his solicitors, Barnard, Robertson, Helsternman and Tait, was received, in which he entered an objection to the decision of the committee to construct a surface drain on Oilphant avenue, which work, called for under the by-law, was never done although the by-law was closed up years ago, long before the paving of the street was finished, as a matter of fact. Mr. Oilphant had also a protest against the character of the macadamizing done on Vancouver street between the park and Humboldt street.

The owners on Oilphant avenue have been refusing to pay their assessments as a result of the failure to complete the work, but a few weeks ago they agreed that they would pay as soon as the city put in surface drains. This will be done out of the general revenue.

The committee yesterday decided to go on with this and have the city treasurer collect the overdue instalments. On Vancouver street the city is to resurface the portion of the roadway which is in question, have it thoroughly closed and with this the city owners are perforce satisfied, recognizing that in the present state of civic finances it is impossible to get an asphalt surface. The work will cost \$1,000 and will come out of general revenue.

## WEATHER BULLETIN.

**Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.**

Victoria, May 30—5 a.m.—The barometer remains high in this vicinity, and being low to the southward fine warm weather is likely to prevail throughout Vancouver Island, the Lower Mainland and in Kootenay. Rain is still falling along the northern B. C. coast. Fine warmer weather is becoming general in the prairie provinces.

**Forecasts.**  
For 24 hours ending 5 p.m. Sunday.  
Victoria and vicinity—Moderate to fresh northerly winds, fine and warm to clear on Sunday.  
Lower Mainland—Moderate winds, fine and warm to-day and on Sunday.

**Reports.**  
Victoria—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 46; wind, 8 miles N. W.; weather, clear.  
Vancouver—Barometer, 30.28; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 44; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.  
Kamloops—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.  
Tatsoob—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 58; minimum, 46; wind, 12 miles N. E.; weather, clear.  
Portland, Ore.—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 76; minimum, 56; wind, 10 miles N. W.; weather, clear.  
Seattle—Barometer, 30.26; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 50; wind, 4 miles N. E.; weather, clear.  
San Francisco—Barometer, 29.88; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 52; wind, 12 miles W.; weather, clear.  
Prince Rupert—Barometer, 30.24; temperature, maximum yesterday, 60; minimum, 46; wind, 12 miles S. E.; rain, .34; weather, rain.  
Calgary—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 68; minimum, 42; wind, 4 miles N. W.; weather, clear.  
Edmonton—Barometer, 30.12; temperature, maximum yesterday, 62; minimum, 40; wind, 8 miles W.; rain, trace; weather, part cloudy.  
Prince Albert—Barometer, 29.82; temperature, maximum yesterday, 64; minimum, 40; wind, 8 miles S. W.; weather, part cloudy.  
Winnipeg—Barometer, 30.06; temperature, maximum yesterday, 72; minimum, 46; wind, 10 miles S. W.; weather, clear.  
Temperature.

Nelson ..... 72  
Barkerville ..... 70  
Toronto ..... 74  
Ottawa ..... 70  
Montreal ..... 74  
St. John ..... 56  
Halifax ..... 64

Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p.m., Friday:  
Temperature.  
Highest ..... 60  
Lowest ..... 42  
Average ..... 52  
Bright sunshine, 13 hours 15 minutes.  
General state of weather, fine.

Amateur actor—"How did you like my Hamlet last night?" Critic—"Like it? My dear fellow, I can honestly say that in the opening scene of the fourth act you were as good as Forbes-Robertson." Amateur actor—"But I didn't appear in that scene." Critic—"No; neither does Forbes-Robertson."

## Shop Here To-Night

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Sports Coatings in black and white check with mixtures of red, green, tan and gold; 66 ins. wide. Regular \$2.75 a yard. Week-end special, yard .....\$1.98  
Fancy Messaline Silk for dainty summer dresses. All popular colors; 36 ins. wide. Regular \$1.50. Week-end special .....\$1.15  
Silk and Wool Crepes and Crepones. Colors are sage, green, reseda, mahogany, lime, brown, grey, mauve, rose, pink, coral, sky, wine, cream and purple. Regular \$1.50 yard. Special for week-end, yard .....\$1.15  
Regular values to \$1.00. Week-end special, yard .....65¢

### Cotton Dress Fabrics at Substantially Reduced Prices

For Friday and Saturday we are offering some very pretty Cotton Fabrics at prices much lower than that which they are usually marked. We know this will be a big drawing item, so you had better make your selection early.

Brocade Repe and Ratines in many popular colors, and broadcated in some very pretty designs. Both of these are popular summer fabrics. Regular values to \$1.00. Friday and Saturday, special, yard .....65¢  
Brocade French Crepe in a pretty floral design. Nice and soft for draping. Colors are mixtures of white with either black, mauve, sky or pink. This is very suitable for dresses or coatees. Regular price \$1.50 yard. Week-end special, yard .....95¢

## Saturday Night Attractions in the Bargain Basement

### A Bargain in Millinery

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Genuine Swiss Embroideries in a number of very pretty designs, 2½ to 3 ins. wide. Per yard .....5¢

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These come in all the popular colors and are excellent value at, yd., 35¢

### Waist Special

New Balkan and Peter Pan Waists will be on sale to-day at the very special price of .....75¢

## INTERESTING PROGRAMME

**Numbers to Be Heard at Orchestral Concert Monday Under Auspices of First Baptist Young People.**

The following is the programme which will be rendered at the concert to be given by the Victoria Symphony Orchestra next Monday evening at the old First Baptist church building, corner of Yates and Quadra streets, starting at 8.15:  
1. (a) Victoria Symphony Orchestra  
March ..... d'Arnould  
(b) Love's Desires Waltz ..... Repost  
(c) Marche alla Turca ..... Mozart  
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Mrs. Georges d'Arnould.  
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## 4.—Shorty Dreams.

"Funny you don't gamble none," Shorty said to Smoke one night in the Elkhorn. "Ain't it in your blood?"

"It is," Smoke answered. "But the statistics are in my head. I like an even break for my money."

All about them, in the huge barroom, arose the click and rattle and rumble of a dozen games, at which fur-clad moccasined men tried their luck. Smoke waved his hand to include them all.

"Look at them," he said. "It's cold mathematics that they will lose more than they win to-night, that the big proportion are losing right now."

"You're sure strong on figures," Shorty murmured admiringly. "An' in the main you're right. But they're such a thing as facts. An' one fact is streaks of luck. The only way to win at gambblin' is wait for a hunch that you've got a lucky streak comin' and then play it to the roof."

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Quit it, Smoke, quit it," Shorty advised. "The longest string of hunches is only so long, an' your string's finished. No more bull's-eyes for you."

"I'm going to ring her once again before I cash in," Smoke answered.

For a few minutes, with varying luck, he played scattered chips over the table, and then dropped twenty-five dollars on "00."

"I'll take my slip now," he said to the dealer, as he won.

"Oh, you don't need to show it to me," Shorty said, as they walked to the weigher. "I been keepin' track. You're something like thirty-six hundred to the good. How near am I?"

"Thirty-six sixty," Smoke replied.

### III.

"Don't crowd your luck," Shorty pleaded with Smoke, the next night, in

The third night of play, as Smoke laid his first bet, the game-keeper shoved fifteen dollars back to him.

"Ten's all you can play," he said. "The limit's come down."

"Gettin' playuine," Shorty sneered. "No one has to play at this table that don't want to," the keeper retorted. "An' I'm willing to say straight out in meeting that we'd sooner your partner didn't play at our table."

"Scared of his system, eh?" Shorty challenged, as the keeper paid over three hundred and fifty dollars.

Night by night, Smoke continued to win. His method of play varied. Expert after expert, in the jam about the table, scribbled down his bets and numbers in vain attempts to work out his system. They complained of their inability to get a clue to start with, and swore that it was pure luck, though the most colossal streak of it they had ever seen.

It was Smoke's varied play that obsessed them. Sometimes, consulting his notebook or engaging in long calculations, an hour elapsed without his staking a chip. At other times he would win three limit-bets and clean up a thousand dollars and odd, in five or ten minutes.

At still other times his tactics would be to scatter single chips prodigally and amazingly over the table. This would continue for from ten to thirty minutes of play, when, abruptly, as the ball whirled through the last few of its circles, he would play the limit on column, color, and number, and win all three. Once, to complete confusion in the minds of those that strove to divine his secret, he lost forty straight bets, each at the limit. But each

regular an' uniform no more. The multiplication table's gone loco. Two is eight, nine is eleven, and two-times-two is eight hundred an' forty-six—an' a half. Anything is everything, an' nothing's all, an' twice all is cold cream, milk-shakes, an' calico horses.

"You've got a system! Fingers beat the fingerin'! What ain't it, an' what ain't has to be. The sun rises in the west, the moon's a pay-streak, the stars is canned corn-beef, scurvy's the bleasin' of God, him that dies kicks again, rocks frost, water's gas, I ain't me, you're somebody else, an' mebbe we're twins if we ain't hashed-brown potatoes fried in verdigris. We me up, somebody! Oh, wake me up!"

### V.

The next morning a visitor came to the cabin. Smoke knew him, Harvey Moran, the owner of all the games in the Tivoli. There was a note of appeal in his deep gruff voice as he plunged into his business.

"It's like this, Smoke," he began. "You've got us all guessing. I'm representing nine other game-owners and myself from all the saloons in town. We don't understand. We know that no system ever worked against roulette. All the mathematicians in the colleges have told us that roulette itself is the system, the one and only system, and therefore that no system can beat it, for that would mean arithmetic has gone bust-house."

"Well, you've seen me play," Smoke answered defiantly. "and if you think it's only a string of luck on my part, why worry?"

"That's the trouble. We can't help worrying. It's a system you've got, and all the time we know it can't be. I've watched you five nights now, and all I can make out is that you favor certain numbers and keep on winning."

"Now the ten of us game-owners have got together, and we want to make a friendly proposition. We'll put a roulette-table in a back room of the Elkhorn, pool the bank against you, and have you buck us. It will be all quiet and private. Just you and Shorty and us. What do you say?"

"I think it's the other way around," Smoke answered. "It's up to you to come and see me. I'll be playing in the barroom of the Elkhorn to-night. You can watch me there just as well."

### VI.

That night, when Smoke took up his customary place at the table, the keeper shut down the game. "The game's closed," he said. "Boss's orders."

But the assembled game-owners were not to be balked. In a few minutes they arranged a pool, each putting in a thousand, and took over the table.

"Come on and buck us," Harvey Moran challenged, as the keeper sent the ball on its first whirl around.

"Give me the twenty-five limit?" Smoke suggested.

"Sure; go to it."

Smoke immediately placed twenty-five chips on "00" and won.

Moran wiped the sweat from his forehead. "Go on," he said. "We got ten thousand in this bank."

At the end of an hour and a half the ten thousand was Smoke's.

"Got enough?" Smoke asked.

The game-owners looked at one another. They were awed. They, the fatted proteges of the laws of chance, were undone.

"We quit," Moran said. "Ain't that right, Burke?"

Big Burke, who owned the games in the M. and G. Saloon, nodded. "The impossible has happened," he said. "This Smoke here has got a system all right. If we let him go on we'll all bust. All I can see, if we're goin' to keep our tables running, is to cut down the limit to a dollar, or to ten cents, or a cent. He won't win much in a night with such stakes."

All looked at Smoke. He shrugged his shoulders.

"In that case, gentlemen, I'll have to hire a gang of men to play at all your tables. I can pay them ten dollars for a four-hour shift and make money."

"Then we'll shut down our tables," Big Burke replied. "Unless—" He hesitated and ran his eye over his fellows to see that they were with him. "Unless you're willing to talk business. What will you sell the system for?"

"Thirty thousand dollars," Smoke answered. "That's a tax of three thousand apiece."

They debated and nodded. "And you'll tell us your system?"

"Surely."

"And you'll promise not to play roulette in Dawson ever again?"

"No, sir," Smoke said positively. "I'll promise not to play this system again."

"My God!" Moran exploded. "You haven't got other systems, have you?"

"Hold on!" Shorty cried. "I want to talk to my partner. Come over here, Smoke, on the side."

Smoke followed into a quiet corner of the room, while hundreds of curious eyes centred on him and Shorty.

"Look here, Smoke," Shorty whispered hoarsely. "Mebbe it ain't a dream. In which case you're sellin' out almighty cheap. You've got the world by the slack of its pants. They're millions in it. Shake it! Shake it hard! If you sell out for thirty thousand, I'll never forgive you."

"When I sell out for thirty thousand, you'll fall on my neck an' wake up to find out that you haven't been dreamin' at all. This is no dream, Shorty. In about two minutes you'll see you have been wide awake all the time. Let me tell you that when I sell out it's because I've got to sell out."

Back at the table, Smoke informed the game-owners that his offer still held. They proffered him their paper to the extent of three thousand each.

"I was about to intimate that I'd take the money weighed out," Smoke said. The owner of the Elkhorn cashed their paper, and Shorty took possession of the gold-dust.

"Now I don't want to wake up," he chortled, as he hefted the various sacks. "Toted up, it's a seventy-thousand dream. It'd be too blamed expensive to open my eyes, roll out of the blanket, an' start breakfast."

"What's your system?" Big Burke demanded. "We've paid for it, and we want it."

Smoke led the way to the table. "Now, gentlemen, bear with me a mo-

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Lieut. Col. Rt. Hon. John Edward Bernard Seely, who recently resigned the British cabinet portfolio of secretary of state for war and was succeeded by Prime Minister Asquith, will pass his forty-sixth milestone on Sunday, having been born on May 31, 1868. The young man who figured in one of the most sensational incidents in the history of British politics was the youngest son of Sir Charles Seely, and was educated at Cambridge. He was called to the bar in 1897. From his youth he was interested in military affairs, and became lieutenant-colonel commanding the Hampshire Carabiniers. When the South African war broke out in 1900 he went to the front with the Imperial Yeomanry, and displayed such gallantry in action as to win the distinguished service order and the queen's medal, five clasps. He entered the political arena in 1906, representing first the Isle of Wight, later the Abercromby division of Liverpool, and since 1910 the Ilkeston division of Derby in the House of Commons. In 1908 he was appointed under secretary for the colonies, and after winning his cabinet spurs became war secretary, being one of the youngest men who ever held that high post in the British government.

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**SCRAP BOOK**

Jewish Festival of Pentecost to Be Celebrated This Evening.

The celebration of Pentecost, also called Shavuoth or the Feast of the First Fruits, will begin this evening among the Jewish people throughout the world. When the sun sets this evening forty-nine days will have passed since the beginning of the Passover, and therefore the fiftieth day—Pentecost—will be ushered in to-night, since the Hebrew day is from sunset to sunset. Like the other great Jewish feasts, Pentecost originated in Palestine, and it was originally the harvest festival of a farming people. Persecution and exile, continuing through centuries, have driven the Jews from the land, and forced them to devote their energies largely to commerce, trade and finance, but in origin they were an agricultural race. The Jews of old inaugurated the harvest by bringing into the temple an offering of bread made from newly-reaped wheat, and thanked Jehovah for his bounty before they went forth to the harvest. Pentecost is also observed as the anniversary of the promulgation of the Ten Commandments, and in the Jewish of to-day this significance is emphasized, while the harvest festival has naturally lapsed. The latter phase of the celebration is, however, being revived by the Israeli farmers in Palestine, who have been returned to the land of their fathers by the Zionists.

Although this Jewish festival commemorates an event—the giving of the laws to Moses on Mount Sinai—which is generally recognized by the Christian world, and by the Moslems as well, as one of the most profoundly important factors in the civilizing of humanity, the disciples of Judaism have never made that fact the basis for a proselytizing campaign among people of other faiths. The Jews have followed the advice of Micah, "Let all the nations walk every one in the name of his god." The spirit of religious intolerance which animated the ancient Jews in their wars of extermination has long since vanished from Judaism. The synagogues throughout the world are open to all who wish to enter, but Judaism has no missionaries and does not seek to convert those of other religions. The Jews resent the interference of the agents of other faiths, and, in refraining from retaliation, they act on the excellent advice of Hillol: "That which is hateful to thee, do not do unto thy neighbor."

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To-day is the anniversary of the burning of Joan of Arc, the poor peasant girl who saved France, who was convicted of sorcery by a "spiritual tribunal" and on May 30, 1431, was tied to a stake and consumed by the devouring flames. The Maid of Orleans won beatification from the Catholic church about eight years ago, but it is not likely that she will be proclaimed a saint for several years to come. Canonization of the Blessed Joan cannot take place until the entire congregation of rites at Rome has passed judgment and reported favorably on the two miracles alleged to have been performed by Joan. At least two years must pass before the canonization cause can be approved, and the pope can issue a bull by which the Maid of Orleans will be given a place on the roll of Christian saints. For many years a committee of prominent Frenchmen have labored to inaugurate a national festival in honor of Joan, but the chance of deputies has persistently refused to institute such a feat, and the annual celebrations in Paris are held under private auspices and paid for by private contributions. In Paris there are but two statues of Joan, while Voltaire has eight, and many lesser heroes from two to five each.

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## UNFURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

1022 Pemberton Rd., 6 rooms, all modern, per month \$40.00	1148 Fort St., 7 rooms, modern dwelling, per month \$30.00
1031 Suite St., 6 rooms, modern, all modern, per month \$35.00	1214 Oak Bay Ave., 6 rooms, modern house, per month \$30.00
1025 Wilmet Place, 7 rooms, house, all modern, per month \$32.00	1748 Fort St., 9 rooms, modern dwelling, per month \$30.00
224 Cook St., 6 rooms, modern, gas stoves, per month \$30.00	2028 Prior St., 2 rooms, modern cottage, per month \$20.00
57 Pine St., 1 room, modern house, per month \$20.00	2187 Harriet Rd., 6 rooms, modern bungalow, per month \$29.00
322 Hillside Ave., 5 rooms, modern cottage, per month \$18.00	34 Cook St., 9 rooms, thoroughly modern house, per month \$45.00
225 Victor St., new 3 rooms, modern, all modern, per month \$35.00	1825 Powl Bay Rd., 6 rooms, modern house, per month \$30.00
1871 Fern St., cor. Begbie St., 8 rooms, house, all modern, per month \$30.00	2540 Fernwood Rd., 7 rooms, partially furnished, per month \$30.00
1215 Minto St., 7 rooms, all modern conveniences, per month \$37.00	1747 Stanley Ave., 5 rooms, modern bungalow, per month \$25.00
811 View St., 6 rooms, modern, per month \$31.00	734 Mary St., 6 rooms, modern house, per month \$25.00
1224 Richards St., 6 rooms, modern cottage, per month \$25.00	1224 Richards St., 6 rooms, modern cottage, per month \$25.00
825 King's Rd., 5 rooms, modern cottage, per month \$25.00	1419 Camosun St., cor. Rudlin, 5 rooms, modern, partially furnished, per month \$25.00
Craigflower Rd., 10 rooms, house, all modern, 2 acres ground, per month \$50.00	113 Front St., 4 rooms, modern, per month \$16.00

## FURNISHED HOUSES TO LET

1284 Beach Drive, 6 rooms, fully furnished, per month \$60.00	1185 Oxford St., 5 rooms, fully furnished, per month \$35.00
278 Olympia Ave., 12 rooms, house, well furnished, per month \$90.00	2629 Quadra St., 5 rooms, fully furnished, per month \$40.00
1181 Princess St., 6 rooms, house, fully furnished, per month \$50.00	1811 Crescent Rd., 7 rooms, house, well furnished, per month \$75.00
1821 Suite St., 6 rooms, fully furnished, per month \$50.00	137 Grant St., 7 rooms, house, well furnished, per month \$55.00
500 Cecelia Rd., 6 rooms, bungalow, fully furnished, per month \$50.00	2629 Long Branch Ave., 10 rooms, house, fully furnished, per month \$100.00
613 Connaught Rd., 4 rooms, bungalow, furnished, per month \$35.00	2223 Shakespeare St., 6 rooms, cottage, furnished, per month \$40.00
Lampson St., 8 rooms, house, well furnished, per month \$70.00	

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## FOR SALE—HOUSES

IRVING FORD (FOWL BAY)—New and fully modern, 5-room bungalow, cement basement, etc. This property must be sold within a few days; sacrifice price \$18,500, \$500 cash. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street, Phone 311.

NORTH QUADRA STREET—New and modern, 8-room house, on quarter acre lot; \$7,000, terms arranged. Clarke Realty Co., 721 Yates street, Phone 311.

LESS THAN COST—House, 7 rooms, high view over city, top of Quadra street, in midst of splendid residence, everything of the latest, rooms beamed and paneled, and fittings, etc.; sacrifice large lot and house as above for \$7,000, cash \$2,000 and terms, or would take good Fairfield lot in part exchange with balance in cash. Edwin Frampton, McCreight Block, View street, opposite Spencer's.

HOUSE SNAP OF THE YEAR—Finely located on improved street, Oak Bay. A long wide yard, modern kitchen, seven-room house, containing reception hall, parlor and dining room with hardwood floors, band organ, paneled built-in bookcases, buffet, open fireplace, sliding doors, etc., pass pantry and kitchen into dining room, with floor bins, china closets, ironing boards and wood elevator; 4 bedrooms, with built-in closets, enamel and nickel fittings, bath and separate toilet, linen chute, open air nursery upstairs, laundry tubs, furnace, built-in bins, lawn and kitchen garden, 3 entrances, cement sidewalks; price, including electric fittings and gas, cash \$12,500, balance on mortgage. Louis Beale & Co., 205 Jones Block, m39

FIVE-ROOM, modern bungalow, all built-in features, piped for furnace, block from car; price \$2,700, arranged to suit. J. C. P.O. Box 1307.

AT \$200 YOU CAN BUY a modern, well built, attractive, five-roomed bungalow, with graded lawn, best part of Fowl Bay, easy terms. Coast Builders & Brokers, 306 Union Bank Bldg.

A MAGNIFICENT HOME—Seven well arranged, bright rooms, oak floors, built-in effects, fireplace, furnace, large lot fenced and graded, Oak Bay's best residential tract, district, block front, worth \$7,500, trade coming week at \$5,500, easy terms. Coast Builders & Brokers, 306 Union Bank Bldg.

A FIVE ROOMED BUNGALOW, off Gorge road, close in, latest design and best workmanship, oak floors, fireplace and cement basement, just completed, \$3,600. Coast Builders & Brokers, 306 Union Bank Bldg.

A FINE, 4 roomed bungalow, neat, well equipped on good lot, half block from car, \$2,400, reasonable terms. Coast Builders & Brokers, 306 Union Bank Bldg.

NOT JUST A HOUSE AND LOT, but a real home, five rooms, pantry, bath and basement, with orchard, garden, ornamental trees and flowers, nearly half acre of land, in suburban near Totinac car, \$3,500, terms; trade for city lot; lease any terms; reasonable terms. Coast Builders & Brokers, 306 Union Bank Bldg.

FOR SALE—ACREAGE  
THE CHEAPEST LAND in the district, 32 acres, close to good road, 2 miles from C. N. R. road, with about a mile river frontage, some good timber, grazing ranch close by fine change for cattle ranch. Sole agent, Edwin Frampton, McCreight Block, View street, opposite Spencer's. Phone 325.

FARMS AT PRICES WHICH PAY—Close to good market and Farmers' Association, within 25-mile circle from Victoria, close to good road, 4-room house, through, close Shawinigan Lake; snap at \$1,000, 5 acres, close to Shawinigan, for \$2,000, 4-room house, \$7,500, 20 acres, long road frontage, \$1,400, 25 acres, close to station and road, \$3,700, 100 acres, partly cleared, per acre, \$75, 200 acres, good road and river, per acre, \$40, 320 acres, long river frontage, per acre, \$35, 30 acres, partly cleared, \$7,000, with house, barn and outbuildings. Several other good buys in acreage. Very small cash payments and long terms on all the above. Inquire Edwin Frampton, sole agent, McCreight Block, View street, opposite Spencer's. Phone 325.

BUY OIL SHARES NOW—Don't wait till the prices have doubled. Come in to-night to select shares. Inquire Bob Craig, 1306 Government St.

MOONLIGHT EXCURSION on board Leaves G. T. P. wharf Saturday, May 30, 8 p.m., returning 11 p.m. Fare \$5. We will take you to cancel trip by return of fare.

FOUND—In our store, purse and money. Owner may have same by proving property. Dial H. Rose & Co.

FURNISHED HOUSES TO RENT—Rooms, Pendergast street, 5 rooms, Oak Bay, \$100; 3 rooms, Trutch street, \$85; 6 rooms, Pendergast street, \$95; 3 rooms, Medina street, \$90; 9 rooms, Port street, \$75. Green & Burdick Bros., Ltd., Phone 410-4179.

NOTICE—Commencing Monday morning, strawberries to pick, 10 cents per lb. from 8 a.m. to 6 p.m. The Old Lifeboat, Blenheim road, near Quilley and Cloverdale.

FOR SALE—250 shares of Blue Bear oil stock, 12c per share. Apply Box 5081, Times.

A FIVE ROOMED BUNGALOW, most modern and up-to-date, superior finish and workmanship throughout, cement basement and furnace, very large lot, growing vegetable garden, shrubs and lawn, a block from sea and Fairfield car, worth \$10,000, for quick sale at sacrifice, \$10,000, easy terms. Coast Builders & Brokers, 306 Union Bank Bldg.

Charged With Forgery—Charlie Do and J. M. Chew were remanded in the police court this morning on charges of forgery until 2 o'clock on Monday afternoon.

## TOO LATE TO CLASSIFY

CALGARY OIL at 30c a share for today only. Come and see us and we will give you reliable information about Calgary and Flathead oil stock. We have a representative on the ground and can give you straight facts. Come in to-night up to 10 o'clock. Bob Craig, 1306 Government street.

I HAVE AN EQUITY of \$500 in a splendid building lot, close in, will take most anything in trade (small automobile or motorcycle preferred). Call 2144L m39

WANTED—A respectable family to occupy a fine residence near town (partly furnished); no monetary rental. Come in to-night up to 10 o'clock. Apply 1801 Richmond avenue.

EXCHANGE WANTED for nice 5-room house and 2 acres cleared level land, B. C. E. rail, close to station, five miles out. City property desired for above to \$2,500. Several other good exchanges. Call and enquire. Edwin Frampton, McCreight Block, View street.

WILL PAY YOU to see J. B. Langford before he leaves the city. He is a well known and reliable man. Call 2144L m39

FOR RENT—4-room cottage, partly furnished, \$12 per month; also 3 rooms, with furniture, on 2 1/2 mile lot, \$15 per month to good tenant; another 1/2 mile lot, close to Hillside car, \$15 per month. Edwin Frampton, McCreight Block, View street.

CALGARY OIL enhances price of land, 10 lots, close to town of Calgary, for sale, price a snap. Enquire of Edwin Frampton, McCreight Block, View street.

STRAYED—From 1221 Rockland Ave., wire haired terrier pup, black and white, collar, red studs. Reward for return. Phone 3309R.

FOR TRADE—100 acres near Port Haney, subdivided into 5-acre blocks ready for sale. Several other good lots. Call 2144L m39

WILL BUILD GARAGE for suitable tenant and give long lease at reasonable rent. Apply P. O. Box 761.

TO RENT—Brand new, 2 roomed bungalow on Fowl Bay, close to car, \$30 per month. Apply P. O. Box 761, or Telephone 1194.

FOR SALE—Gall, 6-passenger, electric starter, lights, full running order, \$1,500; Ford, 5-passenger, good condition, 1,000 miles, price \$250; Cadillac, 6-passenger, price \$200; Oldsmobile, 4-passenger, 1,000 miles, price \$250; Hupmobile, 2-passenger, price \$200; McLaughlin, 2-passenger, price \$250; Winton truck, all new tires, price \$400; Cameron Autos, 521 Superior St.

IT'S A MISTAKE, Mr. Homeowner, to judge all buildings alike. Before buying that home see J. B. Langford, 1241 St. Ann street, or Phone 273X2.

\$7,000 AVAILABLE for first mortgage at 8 per cent. Empire Realty Co., 641 Port street.

THREE furnished housekeeping rooms, \$15 month. 1024 Princess avenue.

FOR RENT—A six roomed house on John street, reasonable. Apply E. M. Volo, Phone 37.

CANADIAN MORTGAGE INVESTMENT COMPANY have funds for good first mortgages. Call Coast Builders & Brokers, 306 Union Bank Bldg., city, representative.

FROM \$50 to \$1,000 wanted by clients on first mortgage security unquestionable. Titles carefully scrutinized all risks eliminated. We invite private funds. Coast Builders & Brokers, 306 Union Bank Bldg.

TO RENT—Seven roomed house on Montague street, \$27, including water. Apply 1129 Cook.

TO RENT—Shawinigan Lake, 6-room, summer cottage, furnished. Apply 1129 Cook.

TO RENT—New, modern, furnished, six-room house, Fairfield district. Apply Box 709, Times.

BE ON BOTH SIDES of the stock market. \$200 capital will win \$1,000. \$500 will win \$10,000. John Hermann, 29 Broad street, New York.

TO LET—Neatly furnished apartment. 116 Yates street. Phone 315.

WILL THE PERSON who picked up an automobile inner tube somewhere between C. P. wharf and Beacon Hill mark, early Saturday a.m., May 30, kindly Phone 22412 and receive reward.

## MEETINGS

To French on Disasters.—Rev. Frank Pratt will preach upon "What has Religion to say about great Disasters?" on Sunday morning, at the Unitarian church.

Friendly Help.—The Friendly Help association will hold its monthly meeting on Tuesday morning, June 2, at 11 o'clock, in the rooms, Market building.

Fusilliers' Band.—The Fusilliers' band will play to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock at Beacon Hill park, a special feature of the concert to be a number of Scotch airs.

Men's Bible Class.—The Men's Bible class is to meet at the James Bay Methodist church to-morrow afternoon at 2.30. The speaker will be Mr. Woodward and the orchestra will be in attendance. All who wish to attend will be welcomed.

Sermon on Disaster.—"The Sinking of the Empress" will be the subject of a special sermon by Rev. William Stevenson on Sunday evening at Emmanuel Baptist church, which is situated at the terminus of the Fernwood car line, next the new High school.

Sunday Lecture.—Dr. Butler will lecture at the Progressive Thought temple, Pandora avenue, Sunday, at 8 p.m., in his series on the Bible subject, "The Bible—Is It the Only Rule and Guide of Life?" The public will be welcomed.

Tel El Mahuta Temple.—The regular monthly session of Tel El Mahuta Temple No. 155, D. O. K. K., will be held in the Knights of Pythias hall, North Park street, on Monday, June 1, at 8 p.m.

Creation Pictures.—At Pantages theatre to-morrow, at 10.30 a.m., 3 p.m., and 7.30 p.m., the final exhibition in this city of the Photo-Drama of Creation is to be given. This part traces the history of the church from Pentecost to the present day. The exhibition of these pictures is free. As many were unable to gain admission last Sunday, the management urges as many as possible to attend during the morning exhibition.

Obituary Record

The death occurred on Friday morning, at the residence of her daughter, Mrs. R. F. Greer, Vancouver, of Mrs. Eliza Dixon, aged 76 years, wife of Joseph Dixon, formerly of Winnipeg, but for the past seven years a resident in Victoria.

The funeral will be held at 10.30 a.m. on Saturday, at St. Andrew's cathedral, born at Kilmarnock, County of Kilkeny, Ireland, and is survived by her husband, four sons and three daughters: Mrs. John S. Rogers, of Winnipeg; Mrs. R. F. Greer, Vancouver; Mrs. I. B. Dixon, Victoria; Wm. H. Aylesbury, Sask.; Alfred, Portland, Ore.; George and Elsie, Victoria. The funeral will take place from the residence of her daughter, Mrs. I. B. Dixon, 1522 Camosun street, Monday morning at 10.30 o'clock.

The funeral of the late William Beale Charles took place this morning from the R. C. funeral parlors at 10.30, and fifteen minutes later from Christ Church cathedral, where the Dean of Columbia and the Rev. Mr. Dawe took charge of the services. There was a large attendance, and many beautiful flowers were sent. The hymns sung were "Lead Kindly Light" and "Days and Moments Quickly Flying." The following were the pallbearers: Messrs. J. E. Wilson, W. H. Langley, Lindsey Cressa, K.C.; B. H. T. Drake, G. A. Kirk, M. P. Gordon, A. O. O'Reilly and Col. A. W. Jones. Interment was in the family plot, Ross Bay.

HELD CONFERENCE.

The second conference of the board of governors of the University of British Columbia with the provincial executive took place yesterday when the whole situation preliminary to construction work on buildings and selection of members of the permanent staff was discussed.

After the conference was ended, Dr. Westbrook stated that a decision had been reached to call for tenders within the next week for the construction of the science building, which will entail an expenditure of about half a million dollars. The plans of the building have been completed, and as soon as the contract is awarded the work of construction will be immediately taken in hand.

In stating why the science building had been the first to be taken in hand, the president explained that it was felt highly desirable to have office quarters available at the earliest possible moment, and he added that the equipment of the science building would permit of this arrangement.

DIED

TEMPLEMAN—At the residence, corner Simcoe and St. Andrew's streets, on Saturday morning, May 24, Eva, wife of Hon. Wm. Templeman, aged 81 years.

The funeral will take place on Monday, June 1, at 2 p.m., from the residence to Ross Bay cemetery.

LANE—On the 24th inst., at the residence of his daughter, Mrs. M. Campbell, occurred the death of Edward Lane, aged 78 years, a resident of Victoria for over 14 years. The deceased is survived by his widow and a daughter, Mrs. J. M. Campbell, a son, O. J. B. Lane, of Victoria, and Dr. E. L. Lane, of Portland, Oregon.

The remains are resting at the parlors of Hanna & Thomson, 627 Pandora avenue, and will be removed to the residence of his daughter, Mrs. J. M. Campbell, 1403 Ryan street, on Monday, June 1, for interment at 4 o'clock, Rev. D. Scott officiating. Interment at Ross Bay cemetery.

The Eagle Red Sox baseball team will oppose the fast Blaisell nine to-morrow morning at the Royal Athletic park. The game will start at 10 o'clock.

## TRIED TO CROSS BOAT THAT CAUSED DISASTER

## Capt. Kendall Reports His Actions Shortly Before Collision

Rimouski, May 30.—Capt. Henry George Kendall, of the Empress of Ireland, in testifying to-day at the inquest into the disaster here, said he saw the Storstad two miles away before a fog obliterated her from view. He immediately stopped his ship and rang for full speed astern.

At the same time Captain Kendall said he blew three short blasts on his whistle, meaning: "I am going full speed astern." Captain Kendall added that the Storstad's whistle answered with one long blast. Soon after he blew two long blasts on his whistle, meaning: "My ship was under way, but stopped and has no way on her."

This whistle signal was also answered by the Storstad.

Two minutes later, the captain said, the Storstad's starboard and port lights loomed out of the fog. The Storstad was a ship's length away. Captain Kendall said he shouted through his megaphone at the Storstad to back water and at the same time had his vessel go full speed ahead to try to avoid a collision.

RUSHING C. N. R. BILL  
CLAUSE FIFTEEN HELD

Ottawa, May 30.—All the clauses of the C. N. R. bill but clause fifteen were rushed through committee practically without discussion. This clause is one declaring certain C. N. R. branch line to be for the general advantage of Canada, thereby bringing them under the operations of the general railway act.

BECKER SENTENCED.

New York, May 30.—Charles Becker was sentenced to-day to die in the electric chair at Sing Sing prison during the week beginning July 6 for the murder of Herman Rosenthal.

ASK PERMANENT BRIDGE

Deputation Waits Upon Executive Council to Protest Against Temporary C. N. R. Structure Over Harbor.

A deputation which represented the city council, the board of trade and the Victoria and Island development association, with Hon. E. G. Prior, president of the board of trade, as spokesman, waited upon the provincial executive yesterday afternoon to urge that the structure which is to be built by the Canadian Northern Pacific Railway company over Selkirk water, for the purpose of carrying its railway to the terminals on the reserve, should be a permanent one and not be of the temporary nature that is suggested by the company.

D. O. Lewis, resident engineer of the company and its chief representative in the city, was present and explained to the deputation—the government appeared to be aware of the argument—that the intention was to make the central bascule span a permanent structure, but that the approaches on either side would have to be built on piles. He justified this sort of structure on the ground that it would be less costly than to put in an entirely permanent work at this time. He said it was the practice of railways to make temporary connections, leaving the permanent work to be done gradually later on. In reply to a question he said that the life of the temporary structure that was proposed would be six years.

Col. Price, strongly urged upon the government that this duration of temporary structure should be cut down from seven to five years, and the premier stated that he would be pleased to send a message to that effect to the head office of the company.

SUIT AGAINST THEATRE

J. Barnwell Brings Action Against Empress; Alleges He Was Refused Admission to Performance.

The question as to whether the color line is to be drawn in Victoria theatres is raised in an action begun this morning by James Barnwell, a well-known colored resident of this city, against the National Amusement company, which operates the Empress theatre at 1311 Government street. Atkinson and Austin issued the summons in the County court registry this morning.

In his statement of the facts Barnwell alleges that on May 15 at 8.20 p.m. he purchased a ticket at the box office of the Empress theatre and immediately proceeded to enter the house, as the performance was at that time in progress. He produced the ticket, but the man at the door refused to permit him to enter. On the plaintiff making a demand for admission he declares that he was assaulted by the manager of the theatre and the doorman and was refused admission.

In his action he claims \$250 damages for breach of contract in not honoring the ticket which was sold to him on the understanding that it was good for entrance to the theatre, and \$750 damages for assault.

Barnwell is a well-known resident of this city, having been born here and lived here all his life. His address is at 1047 Mason street. He was for many years in the employ of D. Spencer, Ltd., and is determined to settle the question of the rights of his race in respect of admission to theatres.

Fall Downstairs.—Sustaining a broken arm through falling downstairs at her residence at Cadboro Bay, Mrs. Griffiths was yesterday conveyed to the Jubilee hospital, where her injuries were attended to. Constable Roberts of the local force was in attendance with the police patrol.

## TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

## NORTHWESTERN LEAGUE

At Tacoma—					
Morning game	R. H. E.				
Victoria	.....	4	8	1	
Tacoma	.....	0	8	2	
Batteries—Steele and Hoffman; McGinnity and Brottem.					

## At Seattle—

Morning game	R. H. E.				
Portland	.....	3	6	0	
Seattle	.....	5	11	3	
Batteries—Leonard and Haworth; Dell and Cadman.					

## At Spokane—

Morning game	R. H. E.				
Vancouver	.....	1	6	2	
Spokane	.....	2	6	1	
Batteries—Dwyer and Clark; Hughes and Altman. (12 innings.)					

## COAST LEAGUE

Morning game	R. H. E.				
Los Angeles	.....	4	12	2	
Portland	.....	1	6	1	
Batteries—Chech and Brooks; Krauss and Yantz, Prengan.					

## At Oakland—

Morning game	R. H. E.				
Sacramento	.....	6	9	1	
San Francisco	.....	8	12	2	
Batteries—Kremer, Colwell, Slagle and Hannah, Lynn; Fanning and Clarke.					

## At Los Angeles—

Morning game	R. H. E.				
Oakland	.....	0	4	1	
Venice	.....	4	6	1	
Batteries—Killip and Mitze; Powell and Bliss.					

## FEDERAL LEAGUE

At Chicago—					
Indianapolis	.....	5	9	0	
Chicago	.....	0	6	2	
Batteries—Falkenberg and Raridon; Brennan, Lange and Wilson, Block.					

## At Buffalo—

Morning game	R. H. E.				
Brooklyn	.....	0	5	1	
Buffalo	.....	4	5	0	
Batteries—Houck, Sommers and Owens; Anderson, Yount and Lavigne.					

## At Baltimore—

Morning game	R. H. E.				
Pittsburg	.....	4	9	0	
Baltimore	.....	2	6	4	
Batteries—Barger and Berry; Wilhelm, Yount and Jacklich.					

## Second game

Kansas City	.....	4	8	2	
St. Louis	.....	2	5	3	
Batteries—Packard and Brown; Keupper, Groom and Hartley.					

## AMERICAN LEAGUE

Second game	R.	H.	E.
Kansas City .....	4	8	2
St. Louis .....	2	5	3
Batteries—Packard and	Brown;		
Keupner, Groom and Hartley			



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Oil stocks were uniformly strong this morning. Athabasca made a meritable advance and outside enquiry for the shares of this company has become general.

There was a reasonable recession in American and Alberta Canadian Oils. These two issues are foremost in our list.

Western Canada Oil, which should not be confused with the Sooko property of a similar name, was given good support.

Monarch was noticeable for slight heaviness, due to numerous sale offerings of stock which was purchased at par.

Unconfirmed rumors of new oil strikes are not given credence until such time as something official is announced.

Dominion Trust and Granby were quoted ex dividend.

Balfour Patents, pref.	31d. Asked.
Blackbird Syndicate	30.00
B. C. Life	100.00
B. C. Trust Co.	120.00
B. C. Packers, com.	124.00
B. C. Refining Co.	125.00
B. C. Copper Co.	125.00
Crow's Nest Coal	40.00
C. N. P. Fisheries	75.00
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Can. Com. S. & H.	65.00
Coronation Gold	15.00
Dominion Trust	120.00
G. W. Farm. Loan	125.00
Granby	83.00
International Coal & Coke	32.00
Lucky Jim Zinc	35.00
McGillivray Coal	22.00
Nugget Gold	25.00
Portland Canal	315.00
Pac. Coast Fire	120.00
Pac. Loan	150.00
Rambler Carbon	18.00
Standard Lead	1.65
Snowstorm	30.00
Slocan Star	140.00
S. S. Island Creamery	7.50
Victoria Phoenix Brew.	100.00
Unlisted.	
American Marconi	4.75
B. C. Coal & Oil	75.00
Canadian Marconi	125.00
Can. Pac. Oil	110.00
Edmonton B. & M. Co.	110.00
Glacier Creek	94.00
Island Investment	25.00
Nicola Valley C. & C.	50.00
Union Club (deb.)	28.00
Western Can.	140.00
Alberta Can. Oil	54.00
Ann. Canadian Oil	124.00
Athabasca	31.00
Black Diamond No. 2	1.00
Herron Elder	1.10
Monarch Oil	16.00
Piedmont	50.00
Prudential	1.00
Frontier	1.00
Western Can. Oil	5.00

## JOIN SWIMMING CLASS.

One Hundred Boys Enroll as Members of Y. M. C. A. Movement; Many More Expected.

Mr. Beall spent a busy morning enrolling boys for the Y. M. C. A. swimming classes which are to open next Tuesday afternoon. More than 100 of the school boys and other lads took membership cards and were given their hours for attending the classes, which are to be held on Tuesday and Thursday afternoons from 3.20 to 5.40, and on Saturday mornings from 9.20 to 11.40. The periods for classes, each of which is to be limited to fifteen boys, will be twenty minutes, and the course will consist of three lessons for each boy. Mr. Beall, head of the physical department of the association, is personally taking charge of the classes.

It is anticipated that there will be quite double the number of boys enrolled before the end of next week, when the bookings will be closed. Many of the schools in the city undertook to notify the boys of the opening of the classes, but there are still several from which no members have been enrolled. Boys who came up this morning were principally from the North Ward, George Jay, and Sir James Douglas schools, which, together with the Boys' Central, which held examinations this morning, were notified by their teachers. Boys in the schools at Victoria West, Kingston Street, Bank Street, Oak Bay, the Collegiate, University school, or Corrig college should send in their names on Monday and have their class-hour allotted.

The movement is in line with the propaganda of the Y. M. C. A., the Royal Life Saving society, and other organizations throughout the country which are trying to impress on the public the importance of swimming as a part of every person's education. Last year more than 500 boys were trained at the Y. M. C. A., and, although the number will probably not be so large this year, it is hoped that parents will encourage their boys to take up the classes.

Memorial services for those who perished in the Empress of Ireland disaster will be held in several of the city churches to-morrow. In the evening the Rev. F. A. Chadwick will preach a special sermon in St. John's Anglican church. In the First Presbyterian church the Rev. John Gibson Inkster will discuss the disaster, its tragedy, its meaning and its lesson. In the morning and evening sermons. The services on both occasions will be of a memorial character with suitable prayers and music. Rev. Wm. Stevenson will preach in the evening on "The Sinking of the Empress" in Emmanuel Baptist church.

The superficial area of the earth is estimated at 196,550,000 square miles—so one of our instructive contemporaries tells us—but you sometimes feel that less than that will do when you are having a rough channel passage, remarks the Globe.

## THE CITY MARKET

The retail price of meat remains stationary. Several changes have taken place in the prices of fish, and the winter commodities in the way of fruit and vegetables are giving way to the newer early summer products. Local strawberries are coming in, and are already quoted at \$3.00 (wholesale) per 24 basket crates, while cantaloupes are also in and quoted at \$7.25 wholesale.

Pratt's Coal Oil.....\$1.50  
Hocens.....1.05

Meats.....  
Hams (Swift's), per lb......27  
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Hams (American), per lb......27  
Premium Bacon......30  
Bacon (long clear), per lb......27  
Veal, per lb......20  
Suet, per lb......15  
Mutton, per lb......20  
Spring Lamb, hindquarter.....1.75  
Spring Lamb, forequarter.....1.50

Farm Produce.....  
Fresh Island Eggs......30  
Butter, Comox......35  
Butter, Salt Spring......35  
Butter, Cowichan......40

Pastry Flours.....  
Seal of Alberta, per bbl......75  
Moffet's Best, per sack......75  
Moffet's Best, per sack......75

Western Canada Flour Mills.....  
Purity, per sack......1.15  
Purity, per bbl......7.25

Hungarian Flour.....  
Royal Household, per sack......1.20  
Royal Household, per bbl......7.25  
Robin Hood, per sack......1.20  
Robin Hood, per bbl......7.25  
Hungarian, Royal Standard, per sack......1.20  
Hungarian, Royal Standard, per bbl......7.25  
Five Roses, per bbl......7.25  
Seal of Alberta, per sack......1.15  
Walnut, per sack......1.15  
Snowflake, per bbl......4.50  
Wild Rose, per sack......1.15  
Drifted Snow, per sack......1.15

Sylvester's Hungarian......1.50  
Cereals.....  
Rolled Oats, 7-lb. sack......35  
Rolled Oats, 20-lb. sack......40  
Rolled Oats, 40-lb. sack......45  
Rolled Oats, 80-lb. sack......50  
Oatmeal, 10-lb. sack......50  
Oatmeal, 20-lb. sack......50  
Rolled Wheat, 10-lb. sack......50  
Wheat Flakes, per packet......35  
Whole Wheat Flour, 10-lb. sack......45  
Graham Flour, 10-lb. sack......45  
Graham Flour, 50-lb. sack......1.75  
Corn, whole......40.00  
Cornmeal......40.00

Feed.....  
Wheat, chicken feed, per ton.....42.00  
Wheat, per 100 lbs.....2.25  
Oats.....20.00  
Crushed Oats.....20.00  
Eastern Washington Hay, ton.....20.00  
H. & Hay (baled), per ton.....18.00  
Straw, per bale.....75  
Middlings, per ton.....30.00  
Bran, per ton.....20.00  
Ground feed, per ton.....35.00  
Sifts, per ton.....20.00

Poultry.....  
Ducks, per lb.....35  
Chickens, roasters.....40  
Chickens, broilers.....40  
Chickens, fliers.....40  
Poultry.....40  
Turkey.....40  
Geese.....30

Fruit.....  
Bananas, doz.....1.50  
Grapes, doz.....1.50  
Lemons, doz.....1.50  
Cucumbers, each......20  
Gooseberries......15

Vegetables.....  
Cabbage, lb......04  
Rhubarb, lb......06  
Salmon, White Spring, 2 lbs......25  
Asparagus......12  
Hops Tomatoes......30  
Onions, 4 lbs. for......25

Potatoes (local)	1.50
Turnips	.02
Beets	.02
Salmon, Red Spring, lb.	.20
Salmon, White Spring, 2 lbs.	.25
Halibut	.10
Cod	.10
Herring, 2 lbs.	.15
Flounder, 2 lbs.	.15
Blotlers, lb.	.10
Shrimps (imported), lb.	.20
Crabs, 2 for	.25
Crabs, lb.	.15
Salmon Bellies, lb.	.15
Flounders, lb.	.15
Soles, 2 lbs.	.25
Kippers, 2 lbs.	.25
Fiddle Fillets	.20

## WHOLESALE MARKET.

Bacon	22.00
Bananas	.75
Beets, per sack	1.75
Cabbages (Cal.), per lb.	.03
Cheese, Sept. delivery, per lb.	.15
Chestnuts (local hot-house), doz.	2.00
Hams	.10
Grapefruit (Cal.), per box	2.25
Grapefruit (Florida)	2.50
Jersey Cranberries, per bbl.	14.00
Peanuts, roasted	.10
Parsnips, per doz.	.35
Shrimps (alive), per lb.	.25
Lemons	3.50
Walnuts, per lb.	4.50
Turnips, per sack	1.75
Upland Potatoes	20.00
Local Potatoes	25.00
Ascher Potatoes	25.00
New Bunch Carrots, doz.	.35
Local Carrots	1.50
Eggs (local), doz.	.27
Haddies (new), per lb.	.10
Kippers	.08
Celery (California), doz. very scarce	
Celery (Florida), per doz.	2.50
Garlic, per lb.	.05
Green Onions	.25
Local Radishes	.20
Locusts of the 1st, 1 per crate of 20 lbs., \$5.00; No. 2	5.00
Apples	2.50
Chambars (local hot-house), doz.	3.00
No. 1, \$2; No. 2	2.50
New Navel Oranges, crate	1.75
New America Grapes, per bbl.	6.00
Local Rhubarb, per lb.	.04
Rhubarb, Sere's	.04
Asparagus (local), lb.	.12
R. (Malaga)	.12
6-lb. clusters, 22-lb. boxes	5.75
3-Crown Consolider clusters	2.75
3-Crown Solitos clusters	3.25
Cartons (21 lbs.)	
3-Crown, No. 1	3.75
3-Crown, No. 2	3.75
7-Crown, No. 4	3.75
Tropics, 12 2-lb. cartons	2.75
London layers, 5-lb. boxes	.40

Fig—  
Calabaz, 25-lb. boxes.....3.80  
25-lb. cartons, each......25  
Cal. choice, 12 10-oz. pkts., per box.....75  
Fancy, 12 10-oz. pkts., per box.....80  
Choice, 20 6-oz. pkts., per box.....80  
Choice, 20 4-oz. pkts., per box.....2.25  
White Cooking (faced), 25-lb. boxes......40

Dates.....  
Fard, bulk, per lb......10  
Packet Dates (Anchor), per pkg......10  
Excelisor, per pkg......10  
Dromedary, per pkg......10  
Fard, 9 12-lb. boxes in case, per box 1.40

Cider—  
Allen's refined, 10 gal. kegs.....6.50  
Allen's refined, 20 gal. kegs.....12.75  
Allen's refined, 30 gal. kegs.....17.75  
Fruit Jar—  
Golden State Mason, quarts, gross.....11.00  
Golden State Mason, pints, gross.....11.00  
Golden State Mason, 3 gal. gross.....17.50  
New Zealand Apples, per case.....15.00  
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Strawberries (imported), per 24 basket.....2.50  
Strawberries (local), per 24 basket.....2.50  
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New Canteloupes, 45's.....7.25

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## "THE UPPER TRAIL"

### GIVEN AT Y. M. C. A.

Interesting Story of Boys' Camp Life Presented by Members of Association

Nearly every seat in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium was taken last evening when the curtain went up on the opening scene of "The Upper Trail," which was presented very entertainingly by 26 lads of the association, giving a graphic glimpse into the camp and gang life of boys. Those who failed to see the play last night will have the opportunity to see the second performance to be given this evening. It is cleverly staged and most interesting and amusing in its presentation.

Jack Gorman, the gang leader, the central figure of the story, was very convincingly acted by Cyril Sprinkling, who sustained his part of the action and dialogue without any apparent stage-fright, and with a good touch of the bravado which would naturally belong to such a character. Dick Foster, impersonated by Bert Macquarrie, was excellent as the leader of athletics, and possessed a pleasing stage presence. W. Baker as Dick's rival, Nichols, was convincing, and a breezy impersonation of Shorty Briggs was given by William Bryson. Picturesque and grasping was Skinny Flint, taken by Norman Ballantine, and two other characters almost inevitably to be found in a boys' camp were Edward Dahlin and Archie Chapman, quite ably acted by Clarence Ferris and Leonard Francis respectively. An obviously correct figure for the part was possessed by Harry Witham as Broad Jackson, the heavyweight, who found a livelier counterpart in "Slim," his twin brother, acted by John Ross. Some quite good character work was done by Archie McKinnon in the role of the somewhat mercenary Abe Cohen. Other well-enacted parts were that of John Cassin, taken by Albert Leigh; Ross Hanley, by Paul Haywood, and the camp physician, Mansfield, acted by Douglas Scott.

There was but one feminine role in the play, this being Mary Harris, a farmer's daughter, which was laughably acted by Roy Hatch in typical get-up. Harris himself was made up in quite the traditional manner, this part being taken by Charlie Stewart.

Others who took part were John Hedley, as the constable; T. Hodgson, as camp cook; J. McKenzie, Thomas Taylor, Arthur Howell and Angus McKinnon, as members of Jack's gang, and Wilbur Dawson, Charles Muir, Charles Munroe and Rees Hugh, as admirers of the athletic leader, Dick.

The staging of the who four acts was very good, and a most realistic scene was discovered in Act III, where the boys gathered round their camp fire and regaled each other with songs and stories. The play was full of action, and excellent effects were produced by the skilful manipulation of the stage-lights, this, it is understood, having been left entirely to the management of one of the members of the boys' department, Gordon Stuart. Among those present at the performance were Hon. Thomas Taylor, whose son was taking part in the play, and Alderman Bell president of the association. Mr. Chinch's orchestra provided a very good programme between the acts, and others who contributed in one way and another to the success of the production were Colonel Hobday who with Mr. Bissell coached the boys in their parts and supervised the stage arrangements; and the two business managers William Baker and Paul Haywood.

Nothing hinders so much the co-operation of the English-speaking peoples as our failure to solve the Irish question by the grant of self-government; an experiment which, at the present time, can be effected without the attendant risks of the past.—Sir Joseph Compton-Rickett, M. P.

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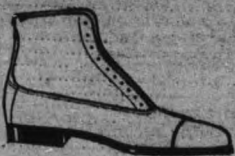
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## SAY CANADA COULD LEARN FROM CHINA

C. P. R. Party Touring Orient Impressed With Agricultural Wonders of China and Japan

On board the R. M. S. Empress of Russia which berthed at the Victoria docks from the Orient last evening was a small party of C. P. R. officials who had been on a pleasure tour through Japan and China. Among them were Mr. and Mrs. W. B. Lanigan, of Winnipeg; Mr. and Mrs. R. Arundel, of Toronto, and T. A. Macaulay, of Calgary.

Speaking of the trip William Blackmore Lanigan, who is general freight manager over western lines of the C. P. R., said that Canada could learn much from China and Japan in the matter of agriculture and forest preservation. It was a matter of wonder to him, he said, that more people did not make the trip to the Orient, as there was so much to be learned from these people of an older civilisation who were packed together in such great numbers that the internal economy of their existence had come to be a marvellous thing indeed.

In enlarging on this topic, Mr. Lanigan remarked: "There is not a weed in either China or Japan. Both countries support a wonderfully industrious people. There is nothing wasted. A small tract of country has to support so large a population that it would never do to waste a grain, and so it is a fact that in the matter of agriculture China could show an example to most of the remainder of the world."

"I used to think the gardens of Victoria were the best in the world," he continued, "until I saw the gardens of Japan. Everything that wonderful little people touch they beautify. I have come home disgusted with my own garden after seeing what some of the people in the land of the Mikado can do with their little plots and how they can make a veritable little paradise out of the most uncomplimentary piece of ground."

"They are just the same in their other material mode of expression. In their paintings and especially in their carving. Their work on wood, on copper and brass impressed me more than anything I have ever seen with its marvellous beauty of form and fineness of detail. The Oriental is never idle."

"Do you think there is any real yellow peril?" he was asked.

"In the short time I spent in the two countries," answered Mr. Lanigan, "I hardly saw enough of the people to come to any conclusion on the matter. But in seeing something of the progress they are daily making, their thriving industry and the rapidity with which they have advanced along certain lines, I cannot help thinking that there might be something in it."

In Disturbed State.

In speaking of the events moving in China at the present time, Mr. Lanigan stated that China was in a disturbed state politically on account of the

raids and excursions of "The White Wolf." While traveling Mr. Lanigan's party encountered soldiers at almost every station on the lookout for the rebel and his murderous band. "All the stations from Nanking to Tientsin were guarded by troops," said Mr. Lanigan. "From Tientsin to Peking, and from there to Mukden, the country was in a ferment, and foreign troops were armed and on guard in case of trouble at Peking in which case it would give the authorities time to get the ambassadorial staffs out of the capital. Of course from Mukden to Manchuria the Japanese troops had this ground."

T. A. Macaulay, who is a prominent official of the Natural Gas company, of Calgary, and who was consequently highly delighted to hear of the oil strikes near the prairie city in his absence, says that he has learned much from his trip. His comment on the Oriental people is "that they are great copyers, but not very original." "But what we have to learn in the matter of irrigation from them," he concluded, "would fill volumes."

The case of Scotland for a separate legislature rests primarily on legislative neglect, delay of much needed legislation, and want of adequate control by Scottish opinion of Scottish administration.—Mr. J. W. Greig, K. C., M. P.

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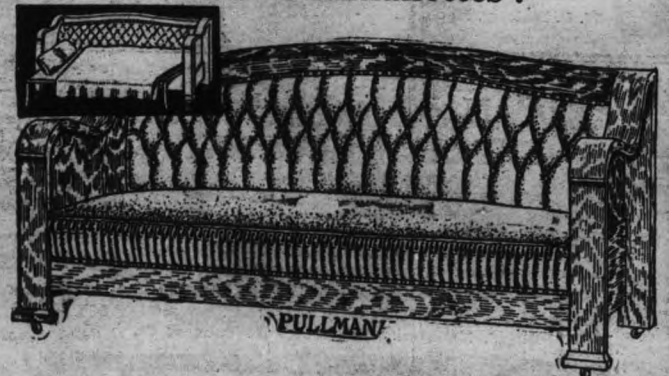
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